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MINERS LOCKED OUT.

Two Coal Companies Refused to Give Union Men Employment Today.

Thousands Return, However,

And Soon Car Load After Car Load of That Very Useful Article Known as Coal, Will be Distributed Throughout the Land. Strikers Show Fight.

Wilkesbarre, Oct. 23.—At the mines here, 115,000, men went back to work this morning. The men will work double shifts to catch up on coal orders and with the exception of pump men and engineers, there are more places that men.

LOCKED OUT.

One Colliery Refused to Take Back Union Men.

Scranton, Pa., Oct. 23.—Union man are not wanted at Oxford colliery. Two hundred and fifty strikers, formerly employed there, marched to the colliery this morning and were refused work. Some of them had their last morsel of food in their dinner pails and as they were turned away, tears streamed down their faces.

SPIRIT OF HATRED

Between Union and Non-Union Men Is Still Strong.

Scranton, Pa., Oct. 23.—A crowd of non-union workers, who were employed at the Dodge mine, were set upon by a crowd of strikers early last night, as they were leaving the colliery, and several of them were severely injured. It is estimated that there were about 50 men in the crowd when they started for their homes, and many of them were leaving for good, carrying their tools and working clothes with them. When the attack was made, the non-unionists scattered in every direction, fleeing from stones and other missles hurled at them.

FIRST ACCIDENT.

To Occur Since the Resumption of Work in the Mines.

Shamokin, Oct. 23.—Six men were burned by an explosion of ga in the Alaska mine today. None, it is believed is fatally hurt.

OPERATORS' REVENGE

For Having Been Forced to Give in to the Miners.

Tamaqua, Pa., Oct. 23.—The miners of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Co. were not allowed to go to work this morning, though they went expectantly. The mine officials said "In not starting up this morning, it was merely the operators intention to show that Mr. Mitchell nor any other outsider is going to blow the whistle of their collieries. The men will start to work when the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company is ready to start them."

CARROLL D. WRIGHT

Gives Details of the Meeting as It Will be Tomorrow.

Washington, Oct. 23.—Colonel Carroll D. Wright, commissioner of labor and recorder of the coal strike arbitration board, which is to meet in this city tomorrow morning, today made public the details for the preliminary meeting as agreed upon between President Roosevelt and himself.

The commissioners will assemble at the temporary White House at 10 a. m. Recorder Wright will call the meeting to order. A message from President Roosevelt, in writing, will be submitted. The organization will follow and Judge George Gray will be elected chairman.

JIM YOUNGER

Was Laid in His Grave Today Without Ceremony.

Lees Summit, Mo., Oct. 23.—Jim Younger, the comrade of Jessie James, was buried here today by the side of his brother, Bob. A large assemblage followed the hearse to the grave, where the body was interred without ceremonies. On the coffin rested, among others, a floral tribute from John O'Connor, the chief of police of St. Paul.

CROOKED CLERK

Of Carnegie Steel Co., Gets a Five Year Dose.

London, Oct. 23.—In Old Bailey Court today, Lawrence Grieg, a clerk of the Carnegie Steel Co., was found guilty of defrauding the company of 25,000 pounds by forgery, and was sentenced to five years imprisonment.

IMPROVEMENTS

To be Made on the Pennsylvania Road

Will Necessitate an Expenditure of Seventy Million Dollars.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 23.—The official anouncement is made that upward of $70,000,000 will be spent on improvements by the Pennsylvania railroad next year. Besides the general improvements, such elimination of grade crossings and the building of new freight yards, there will be expended a large amount on the New York tunnel and the new union station at Washington. Some of the contracts, such as locomotives and cars, have been acted upon, and the work of widening the road west of the Susquehanna river has been mapped out.

HOOSIER MAIDS

And Matrons Will Hold a Three Days Session.

Greencastle, Ind., Oct. 23.—A considerable number of delegates and visitors are here for the annual convention of the Young Women's Christian association of Indiana, which will be in session here during the next three days. Prominent among the speakers to be heard are the Rev. Worth M. Tippy, of Indianapolis; S. D. Gordon, of Cleveland, and Miss Conde and Miss Simms, of the American committee.

MRS. FISKE

And the First Performance of "Mary of Magdala."

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 23.—Before noon every seat in the Pabst theatre had been disposed of for tonight, when Mrs. Fiske will give the first presentation of her new play "Mary of Magdala." The piece is to be one of the most elaborate stage productions of the season, requiring several carloads of special scenery and costumes and an acting company of 100 people. From Milwaukee, the piece will be taken to Chicago, and after several weeks engagement in that city, Mrs. Fiske will begin her annual season at the Manhattan Theatre, New York.

LACK

Of Firemen to Fight a Fire

Immense Loss

Would Result Should One Occur.

The Suspended Men Have Engaged Counsel and Gone Into Court.

A Prospect Ahead for a Street Car Strike Unless the Company Recedes from Its Position.

Columbus, O., Oct. 23.—(Special)—The thirty suspended city firemen here have engaged attorneys and will enjoin the director of public safety from laying them off. The director now offers to put the thirty men back to work in the department, as emergency men, as substitutes, but they have refused, and will fight the case to the end.

The condition of the fire department is deplorable, and should a big fire occur the city would be at the mercy of the flames because of the lack of firemen to fight the fire. The insurance men will meet in a day or two at which time it is expected they will take action looking to the increase of rates, because of the demoralized condition of the Columbus fire department.

The latest rumor now is that the director of public safety is arranging to lay off nearly half of the police force. The feeling, on the part of the business men, because of his action, is intense and it is not confined to party, citizens without regard to party severely denouncing the methods and poor management on the part of the director.

Interesting Meeting of Masons.

There is a large attendance here of Masons from all over the state to the Grand lodge, and the sessions are proving very interesting to the craft. The reports show that during the past year there was a wonderful growth of the order, there being a net gain of over three thousand members. The secretary's report shows that amounts aggregating $40,955.03 were received from various sources during the year. The expenses amounted to $21.91 over the receipts; due to an advance of $5,000 to the Ohio Masonic Home at Springfield. The secretary estimates the expenses for the ensuing year at $26,157.20, and recommends an appropriation of $10,000, out of the surplus for the home.

Looks Like a Strike Would Result.

Because of the discharge of the officers of the newly formed Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employes of America, No. 294, in this city by the Columbus Street Railroad company, the members met and denounced the action of the company. The street car employes have been assured that the Labor and Trades Assembly is in sympathy with them. President W. D. Mahon, of Detroit, the head of the national organization o fstreet railroad men, has been telegraphed for.

The street railway company maintains that the discharged employes were discharged for other reasons, and not for the reason that they were members of the union. The matter is likely to take on a serious aspect, unless the company recedes from its position.

TO PROMOTE

Immigration to Southwestern Territory.

Houston, Texas, Oct. 23.—The land and immigration agents of the Southern Pacific railroad began a conference in Houston today, with an attendance even larger than that at the similar meeting held some time ago in Galveston. The purpose of the gathering is to afford an opportunity for the exchange of views regarding the general development of the Southwest and the promotion of immigration to this section of the country. Following the close of the congress day after tomorrow, the agents will start on a tour of the state, visiting San Antonio and other points.

FOLLOWERS

Of Pugilism Will Put Their Money on O'Brien,

Sledge Hammer Blows are Expected to Put Jack Bonner Out.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 23.—Jack Bonner is the latest victim slated to go down under the sledge-hammer blows of the redoubtable 'Philadelphia Jack' O'Brien. The two are carded to mix it up in a six-round bout tonight under the auspices of the Broadway Athletic club. Bonner a few years ago was regarded as near the top of the pugilistic ladder. He has met all the best men in both the middle-weight and heavy-weight classes, but the last year or two he has failed to "make good" in most of his bouts. Close followers of ring affairs are unanimous in the opinion that he is no match for O'Brien, and unless the unexpected happens the bout will be simply a repetition of the string of victories the Philadelphian has won since he returned to this country from England.

BETTER NEWS

From the British Troop and Mad Mullah.

London, Oct. 23.—Word received today from General Mannig indicates that Col Swayne, in Somaliland, had retreated from Mad Mullah in good order. The situation is better though Swayne met with severe repulses. It was feared yesterday that his entire force had been cut to pieces.

RAILROAD

Extension for the Benefit of South Dakota Towns.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct 23.—The immense traffic in live stock which the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad has out of Evarts, S. D., it is reported, may result in the extension of that line into Montana or possibly into the Black Hills. The construction of such a line would be of great benefit to Minneapolis and St. Paul in that it would give the desired direct route to the Black Hills and the thriving towns in that section of South Dakota.

NEW HOME

For Confederate Veterans is Dedicated.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 23.—Pewee Valley was today the mecca for Confederate veterans and their friends from all parts of the state. The occasion was the dedication of the new Confederate home, one of the largest and finest institutions of its kind in the country. The ceremonies attending the dedication were of an interesting character and were witnessed by several thousand visitors. General John B. Gordon, General George Moorman and other distinguished Confederate veterans were among the participants.

MINOR LEAGUE

Have Been Successful During the Past Season.

New York, Oct. 23.—Pursuant to the call of President P. T. Powers the presidents and club managers of nearly all the minor baseball leagues of the United States and Canada gathered today at the Fifth Avenue hotel. The occasion was the second annual meeting of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, which embraces in membership nearly all of the minor leagues of consequence, with the exception of the American association. Prior to going into session behind closed doors the officers and prominent members of the association volunteered the statement that the work done by the association during the past season was very satisfactory and that steps will be taken to force all of the professional leagues into the association for their own protection and welfare.

Live Stock Market.

East Liberty, Oct. 23.—Cattle light, steady; hogs active, steady; sheep light, slow.

THE LAWYERS DO NOT AGREE

Upon Time First Election Must be Held Under New Code.

A Prominent Columbus Legal Luminary Insists That Under the New Measure, First Election Must be Held in November.

Columbus, O., Oct. 23.—(Special)—Now that the municipal code bill has become a law, it is the especial perrogative of the legal fraternity to make public alleged defects which they failed to point out when the bill was pending. Mr. Clarence Addison, an attorney of this city, and private secretary to mayor Hinkle of this city, comes forward with the statement that according to the code the first election must be held November '15 instead of in April 1903. He bases his opinion on section 231 of the code. In another section of the code, however, there is a provision that the first election shall be held next April.

It is claimed also that the municipal street cleaning plant will have to be abandoned under the law, and that all the sanitary officers now in the employ of the city, are by the law, kept in their positions.

Now the Circuit Court Has an Inning.

The Royer bill having been disposed of by the legislature, the circuit court will be free to hand down decisions in cases which it has been hearing since the opening of the present term. Up to the present time that court has not passed on any cases, having delayed matters so that the decisions would be rendered under the new law and thus all objections be removed.

The Governor Owned the Bunch.

The work of the special session just closed, like the work of the last regular session, has demonstrated the wonderful control which Governor Nash has had over the Seventy-fifth general asembly. During the regular session the governor mapped out a program of taxation and other laws which he desired enacted, and not one failed. Prior to the special session, the governor mapped out his plan for a municipal code. A very careful annalysis of the code just passed shows that the governor's plan was adopted. Certainly there were amendments offered, and the face of the code changed, but in reality, the governor got what he wanted. He gets his board plan, although the legislature went clear around Robbin Hood's barn to give it to him. The governor affected a displeasure with the shape the code was reported in, but it appears that he was not so very much displeased with it after all. The provision for the appointment of the board is such that it will have to be made more frequently by the governor than by council. One member, on leaving today, said: "Governor Nash should congratulate himself, for he got pretty near what he wanted. In fact he fared much better than he first believed he would. We made a lot of fuss; gave the impression that we were going to make mince meat of his code, but you see we simply added a little more verbeage changed it around some without changing the effect materially, and after all we passed what was substantilly the Nash code. And it is not a bad one at that, and we believe when it is put into operation that the people will be better pleased with it. It gives you home rule and it does not give you home rule. On this point it is a bit paradoxical but it will answer the purpose at any rate."

FIERCE FLAMES

Play Havoc With Five Big Buildings in Philadelphia, Entailing a Loss of Hundred Thousand Dollars.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 23.—The locality swept by the great fire of 1850 is endangered again by a stubborn conflagration, which is menacing the neighborhood of Water and Vine streets. The flames began in J. I. Lenhart's paper and rag warehouse, and have spread since, to several surrounding properties on Delaware avenue, Water street and Vine street. The Lenhart establishment, Knowton and company's chair manufactury, and Appelhart's molasses warehouse seem to be doomed. A number of girls sorting rags in the fourth floor of the Lenhart building, were panic stricken and rescued with difficulty.

Later.

The fire destroyed five business places before controlled and the loss will reach $100,000.

CONNECTICUT CONGRESSMAN

Chas. A. Russell, After Sixteen Years of Public Service,

Passed Peacefully Away Today, Having Been Unconscious for Many Hours--He Was at One Time a Newspaper Man.

Danielson, Conn., Oct. 23.—After an unconsciousness for thirty-six hours, Congressman Chas. A. Russell, died this morning at 9:30 o'clock at his home at Killingly. After his graduation from Yale he immediately devoted himself to newspaper work, and until 1878, was actively engaged on the Worcester Press, as city editor. In the fall of 1886, he was nominated for congress by Republicans. He has served this district continually since. He was born in 1858.

MURDER PENALTY

Will be Paid Tomorrow by the Indian Walking Shield. Revolting Crime for Which He Must Die.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Oct. 23—Arrangements are being made at the state penitentiary for the execution tomorrow of Allen Walking Shield, the Indian murderer recently brought to the prison from Deadwood.

The crime for which Walking Shield, who is a notoriously bad and worthless Indian belonging on the Rosebud reservation, must suffer the death penalty was a dastardly one without any mitigating circumstances whatever. It was committed last May, the victim being Mrs. Sarah Ghost Face, an Indian woman. The motive of the crime was the desire of the murderer to possess himself of the woman's 17-year-old daughter, of whom he was enamored. Mrs. Ghost Face and her daughter, Emily, lived alone at an isolated spot on Little White river, on the northern border of the reservation, the husband and father having died some time ago. Walking Shield called at the house at 3 o'clock in the morning and awoke the inmates by tapping on the window. The mother arose and asked the unknown what was wanted. The reply of Walking Shield was that he was hungry and wanted to pass the remainder of the night under their roof. The woman, true to the customary Indian hospitality, dressed herself, unlocked the door and had started to walk away when Walking Shield entered the room. Without giving the occupants of the little cabin the slightest warning he shot the mother twice in the back of the head with a double-barreled shotgun which he carried, scattering her brains about the room. He then assaulted the terrified girl and when he left the place he compelled the girl to accompany him. After several hours she succeeded in making her escape. Walking Shield was captured after an exciting chase, in which deputy marshals and other white officers and Indian policemen participated.

JEALOUSY CAUSES MORE DEEP SORROW.

Suspicious Husband's Awful Deed With a Pocket Knife.

Pensacola, Fla., Oct. 23—Wm. Turlington, 65, last night attempted to kill his wife, 21 years old, and his four-year-old son, with a pocket knife, by cutting their throats. When he thought he had inflicted death wounds, Turlington turned the knife on himself, inserted the blade in his throat and with amazing deliberation, severed his head almost from his body, dying almost instantly. The child expired from the wounds, which the wife will live. Turlington alleged his wife had repeatedly with other men.

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IN REGARD TO INDIANA OIL.

"Gusher" Recently Struck in Marion Field, is Now But a Mild Pumper.

Since That Proud Title of "Leader in Central Ohio States," Went to Indiana, Activity Has Increased. Oil News.

OIL MARKET.

Tiona oil	$1.45
Pennsylvania oil	1.30
Somerset oil	79
Corning oil	1.13
New Castle oil	1.05
North Lima oil	95
South Lima oil	90
Indiana oil	80
Lacy oil	79

The Marion field is now branching out in a gratifying manner, and the most interest is attracted to the new developments to the southward, which seem destined to connect up the Grant and Madison county developments. While there has been some cessation of activity in what was formerly the busy west Marion field, the general aspect is one of continuous hustle, and there is no doubt that present conditions will be maintained well into the winter.

Southwest of Jonesboro, and along the line down to Fairmount and Fowlerton, the leaser has been busy, and some of the more intrepid are getting wells down, which thus far have shown bright prospects of a prosperous future.

One well which has caused quite a commotion was the Indiana Natural Gas and Oil company's wildcat on the Duling farm, in section 13 of Mill township, two miles east of Fairmount and about the same distance north of Fowlerton. Like all strikes of this kind, the sensational reporters had an inning, and made a regular Texas gusher out of it. Like some more of those Texas gushers, they will have to use a pump on it, and it may make a small producer. There is an over supply of gas at present, and with a little show of oil, it doesn't take much of a display to arouse the natives to excitement. The gas carries quite a spray, but it has now settled down, and a conservative estimate places the well in the 20 barrel class. At any rate, there are indications of oil in that neighborhood, and there will undoubtedly be a large amount of drilling, with a view to thoroughly testing the southern portion of the field. Carried along this line and through Fairmount township, new producers would make a continuous streak southward, and a vast territory would be opened to the operator.

Stubler & Co., are drilling a wildcat well on the E. C. Knight farm, in section 8 of Mill township, which is 1½ miles southeast of nearest production. This well is located in the northeast corner of the Knight farm, and if it shows oil, will open up a block of leases. The operators are all Oil City men, and have acquired several tracts of land, which they intend to thoroughly test.

In section 9 Mill, the Star Oil company had a good showing of oil in No. 3 on the Fahnley & McCrea lease, but it was ruined by the shot. The same company is drilling No. 4 on the Meeks Bros. farm, which is located in section 4 Mill.

In section 5 Mill, the Lena Oil company is drilling No. 2 on the Levi Hiatt farm, and is building the rig for No. 2 on the M. P. Little farm. The Ohio Oil company's No. 3 R. S. Jones, in this section, was dry.

In section 32, the Ohio has completed No. 3 on the R. J. Spencer, but it has not yet been put to pumping. Cheuvront, Mann & Stranahan have a 20-bbl well in their No. 3 Fred Shroeder, and the rig is up for No. 4. The Central Tool company's No. 1 Fee is completed, but is shut down, with probably 3 feet of oil in the tank. On the same property, Rogers & Co. have the rig up for their No. 1.

On the Jesse D. Wright farm, in section 29 Mill, the Ohio Oil company is drilling its No. 2 well.

Franklin Township Work.

In the west Marion development, which is mostly confined to wells or town lots, there has been less new work this month than during the previous months of the summer, but the production will probably be maintained at about the same figures as were recorded for September. The work may spread out to the southward, where there is much more room for drilling, and then this section of the field would not be so slow. There is also plenty of room for development further to the west, but the outlook does not appear to appeal to any operators with cash enough to test the merits of the territory.

A number of eastern operators have brought this section of the field to the utmost development, and some have been pretty well rewarded for their efforts, while others are in search of better production to square off the debts contracted.

The Oil City operators interested in this field, who are working in conjunction with Peter Stubler and others have 20 wells, which are affording quite a good production.

Of these, the first 9 wells are owned by Parker Stubler, and are what has been known as the Paul & Stubler lots. Their production is getting quite low. A number of lots in this development are controlled by Charles Binnegar, as trustee, and on two of these, the Stubler Oil company has completed two wells which are now good for about 90 bbls per day, the No. 1 having started at 60 bbls a week ago, while No. 2 was good for about 50, when completed a few days ago. The Stubler Oil company also has 5 wells on fee property, and the rig is up for No. 6. Stubler & Siederman, another branch of the combination, have one completed well on the Norton property, with rig for No. 2; and they have No. 1 drilling on a fee lot.

In section 1 Franklin, Crotty & Spur have completed No. 2 on their fee property, after a troublesome job of drilling. The tools were left in one hole and the rig moved to a new location. On the Weesner & Thomas lot, the Western Park Gas company has completed No. 1 well, with an output of about 10 bbls.

The Marion Fruit Jar company has a number of wells in this territory, and a few new ones under way. On the Wiley & Grey property, in section 11, they have No. 8 drilling, and on the Grant county farm of 40 acres, in section 12, they have a rig up for No. 2. No. 3 Minnie & Tudor, in section 13, which was drilled in but never shot, is still standing idle. This company's No. 10 on the M. L. Dodds farm, in section 12, was good for 75 bbls at the start. In section 13, No. 9 on the P. Kiley farm is drilling.

James LaTourette has shot his No. 9 fee, in section 12, and it will make a light producer. On the C. & J. Holman lease, in section 11, No. 6 is drilling, and he has No. 4 under way, on the J. M. Fenstermaker farm, in section 14.

The Marion Gas company has completed No. 1 well on the D. Loufesty farm, section 13, and it is said to be showing up nicely, but has been allowed to stand idle for several days.

The Estep Glass company's No. 1 P. Moses and No. 1 G. Overman, in section 24, are small, the former having considerable gas and water, while the latter is good for about 10 bbls. No. 1 on the James White property, in section 13, was also a 10-barreler.

Jones & Case are drilling Nos. 21 and 22 on the Empire addition, in section 12, and across the township line, in section 7 Centre, are building the rig for No. 3 Louisa Henley.

The Republic Iron & Steel company's No. 4 fee, in section 12, is drilling, and on a town lot near the steel works, some West Virginia parties have a new well drilling.

The Beaver Oil company's No. 1 on the Lizzie A. Williams farm, in section 2, was good for 30 bbls at the start.

Cheuvront, Mann & Stranahan are drilling No. 7 fee, in section 13.

The Pacific Oil company's No. 1 on the S. Koontz property has been completed and shot, but there is nothing doing yet in the producing line.

In Allen County.

The Gandy Petroleum Co.'s No. 1, on the Philip Engel, Perry township, is keeping up her production at the rate of 50 barrels a day. This well run 600 barrels of oil the first five days she was pumped.

Samuel Lippert had a rig pulled in on the J. H. Reynolds fram, Perry township, yesterday.

Sherman and Co., completed their well on the Faze farm, yesterday, and after the shot, made a fine spray. It was put to pumping and made 90 barrels the first 12 hours.

The Dinner Pail

Of the American working man is generally well filled. In some cases it is too well filled. It contains too many kinds of food, and very often the food is of the wrong kind—hard to digest and containing little nutrition. As a consequence many a working man develops some form of stomach trouble which interferes with his health and reduces his working capacity.

Where there is indigestion or any other indication of disease of the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition, the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will almost invariably produce a perfect and permanent cure.

Mr. Thomas A. Swarts, of Sub Station C, Columbus, O., Box 107, writes: "I was taken with severe headache, then cramps in the stomach, and my food would not digest, then kidney and liver trouble and my back got weak so I could scarcely get around. At last I had all the complaints at once, the more I doctored the worse I got until six years passed. I had become so poorly I could only walk in the house by the aid of a chair, and I got so thin I had grown up to die, thinking that I could not be cured. Then some of my neighbors said 'Take my advice and take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and make a new man out of yourself.' The first bottle helped me so I thought I would get another, and after I had taken eight bottles in about six weeks, I was weighed, and found I had gained twenty-seven (27) pounds. I am as stout and healthy to-day, I think, as I ever was."

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OUR OWN ANDY

Was Installed Rector of St. Andrews.

Messrs. Choate and White were Honored With Degrees Also.

London, Oct. 23.—At St. Andrews today Andrew Carnegie was installed as rector of St. Andrews University in the presence of a notable gathering of educators, litterateurs and men of public life. Following the installation ceremonies the degree of LL.D. was conferred on Mr. Choate, United States Ambassador to Great Britain, and Andrew D. White, the United States Ambassador at Berlin.

Ira D. Rickard, Duncombe, Ia., writes: "My little boy scalded his leg from the knee to the ankle. I used Banner Salve immediately and in three weeks time it was almost entirely healed. I want to recommend it to every family and advise them to keep Banner Salve on hand as it is a sure remedy for scalds or any other sores."

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their kindness during the sickness and death of our son, Charles, also for the floral tributes.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Bowman.

We sat at the table together.
She cast a shy glance over at me,
She certainly looked like an angel
Oh, Charley. Please order me Rocky Mountain Tea.

H. F. Vortkamp, corner North and Main streets.

THE IDLER.

Will Return to Lima.

The local friends of Messrs. Chas. DeVoe, Glen R. Crum and George Raynes, composing the Arion Trio, will be pleased to learn that this popular musical organization will return to Lima and spend the winter in this city. The Arion members have been furnishing music on one of the D. & C. line steamers during the last three or four summers and last winter they made Toledo their headquarters but this fall they have again decided that Lima is still the best town in the state, and they will make this city their headquarters until next season on the lakes opens.

For a pleasant physic take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take. Pleasant in effect. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

LABOR

In Most Parts of England

Ranges Lower

In Point of Wages Than in Other Years.

Decrease Last Year Reaches Nearly Two Million Pounds Sterling

While in the Period Covered by 1900 There was an Increase of About Two Millions.

A marked reduction in the wages of labor in England is reported in the Chamber of Commerce Journal, the official organ of the London Chamber of Commerce, a copy of which has just reached the Treasury Bureau of Statistics.

"There is a warning," it says, "to masters and men alike in the official report on the changes in rates of wages and hours of labor during 1901. It foreshadows a relapse from the prosperity of the last few years, a decline in wages having to be recorded for the first time since 1895. Moreover, during the first half of the present year, the tendency is still towards lower wages. The number of workpeople effected by reductions in 1901 was greater than any year in the period 1893-1901, the computed amount of the reductions being more than the total reductions recorded in the previous eight years. It is estimated that the net decrease in the wages bill last year was about 1,584,000 pounds sterling, compared with a net increase of six millions in 1900. The fall in wages was confined to the mining and quarrying and the metal, engineering and shipbuilding groups of industries, there being net increases in the other groups—building, textile, clothing, etc. One most satisfactory feature in the reports is, however, the fact that there was a large increase in the percentage of work people whose wages were settled by conciliation boards, which is mainly due to the formation or re-establishment of such boards in the mining industry. Out of every 100 persons whose wages were changed only two were concerned in strikes and lockouts. This is the lowest record per centage.' With regard to changes in hours of labor, 586 workpeople had their hours lengthened and 28,690 had them shortened, the net result being a reduction of 58,728 hours per week. The principal changes were in the printing trade. Included in those affected by changes in hours in this trade are 12,923 compositors, readers, machine-minders, bookbinders, mechanics, etc., employed in the London printing trade. Compositors' hours were reduced under the award of the arbitrators appointed by the board of trade from 54 to 52½. The letterpress printers, bookbinders and machine rulers of Glasgow, to the number of 3,060, also secured a reduction from 52½ to 52. A brief consideration of the foregoing will show that altogether the outlook for labor is less encouraging than for some years past, and it behooves both employers and employed to use common sense, zeal and intelligence in maintaining and consolidating industry, upon which the prosperity of the country depends."

The following table, compiled from the eighth annual "Abstract of Labor Statistics of the United Kingdom," recently issued by the British Board of Trade, shows the standard rates of wages per week for various trades recognized in London at the beginning of 1902:

Trades.	Wages per week.
Upholsterers	$12.96
Ship yard platers	11.67
Cabinet makers	11.34
Boiler shop platers	10.94
Plasterers	11.00
Bricklayers	10.50
Masons	10.50
Carpenters and joiners	10.50
Pattern-makers	10.45
Plumbers	10.34
Riveters	10.21
Shipwrights	10.21
French polishers	9.72
Lithographic printers	9.72
Iron founders	9.72
Compositors (hand)	9.48
Engineers	9.48
Painters	9.00
Brass moulders and finishers	9.64
Bricklayers and plasterers laborers	7.00

GAY WITH FLAGS

As a Greeting to the Boys in Gray.

Sons of Dixie Land, Now Bent With Age, Hold One More Reunion.

Wytheville, Va., Oct. 23.—This town is gay with flags and bunting today in honor of the Confederate Veterans. Department of Virginia, whose fifteenth annual meeting and reunion is in progress. The gathering was formally opened at noon yesterday by Grand Commander Thomas W. Smith. The attendance of veterans is gratifyingly large, many of them being accompanied by their wives and families. The William H. Terry camp of Wytheville is acting as host and has prepared an elaborate program for the entertainment of the visitors.

America's Famous Beauties

Look with horror on skin eruptions, blotches, sores, pimples. They don't have them, nor will any one, who uses Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It glorifies the face. Eczema or salt rheum vanish before it. It cures sore lips, chapped hands, chilblains. Infallible for piles. 25c at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store.

Somehow, when the children's stockings are all down, there is a wonder if the same condition doesn't exist in their mother's.

He Learned a Great Truth.

It is said of John Wesley that he once said to Mistress Wesley: "Why do you tell that child the same thing over and over again?" "John Wesley, because once telling is not enough." It is for this same reason that you are told again and again that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cures colds and grip; that it counteracts any tendency of these diseases to result in pneumonia, and that it is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

AN ORDINANCE.

TO PREVENT WASTE PAPER OR OTHER REFUSE FROM BEING PLACED UPON PAVED STREETS AND TO PREVENT THE SAME FROM BEING BURNED ON PAVED STREETS OR UPON ANY STREETS OR ALLEYS OR OTHER PUBLIC PLACES OF THE CITY, AND TO REPEAL AN ORDINANCE OF A SIMILAR NATURE PASSED DECEMBER 27, 1897.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows:

Section 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to place or throw, upon any public street, alley or public place or grounds, within the corporate limits of the City of Lima, Ohio, or dispose upon private premises so that the same shall escape therefrom on to any public street, alley or public place or grounds within the corporate limits of the City of Lima, Ohio, any waste paper or other paper or any refuse or rubbish or garbage or substance of any kind, or burn any waste paper or other paper or refuse, garbage or rubbish or substance of any kind upon any paved street or upon any street or alley or public ground or place within the corporate limits of the city of Lima, Ohio.

Section 2. That any person or persons violating any of the provisions of section one of this ordinance, shall be deemed to be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not less than $5.00, nor more than $25.00.

Section 3. That an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance to prevent waste paper or other refuse from being placed upon the streets, and to prevent the same from being burned on paved streets, and to repeal an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance to prevent waste or other paper from being cast into the streets, passed August 11, 1890, passed December 27, 1897, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest time allowed by law.

ED. S. MOSES,
President pro tem of City Council.
FRED C. BEAM, City Clerk.
Passed Oct. 20th, 1902. oct23-24

A RESOLUTION.

DECLARING IT NECESSARY TO HAVE A SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTED IN FRONT OF CERTAIN LOTS AND LANDS ON EAST MARKET STREET, SOUTH MAIN STREET AND ST. JOHNS AVENUE.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows:

Section 1. That it is deemed necessary that sidewalks be constructed in front of the following described premises, viz.: (a) In front of lot or tract of land on the south side of Market street and lying north of the railway tracks and extending west a distance of probably about 60 feet, (b) Abutting the C. & E. R. R. on the east side of Main street. (c) Abutting the C. & E. R. R. on both sides of St. Johns avenue.

Section 2. That the owner or owners of said tracts of land mentioned in the preceding section be, and they hereby are required to construct a sidewalk in front of said property within thirty days after receiving notice of the adoption of this resolution, and any and all such sidewalks not so constructed by the owner within such period, shall be constructed by the city, and the cost thereof shall be charged and assessed to the lots or tracts of land in front of which the same is constructed.

Section 3. That such sidewalks shall be constructed in all respects in accordance with the general sidewalk ordinance of said city, and under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the City Civil Engineer and the City Council.

Section 4. That the Mayor of said city give notice of the passage of this resolution by serving a notice thereof upon the owner of each lot and parcel of land mentioned in section one, who are residents of Allen county, Ohio, in the manner required by law, and W. G. Ferguson is hereby designated to serve such notice; and a copy of such notice with time and manner of service endorsed thereon and signed by the officer making the service of the same shall be returned to and filed with the City Clerk, to be by him preserved in his office as required by law.

ED. S. MOSES,
President pro tem of City Council.
FRED C. BEAM, City Clerk.
Adopted Oct. 20, 1902. oc23-4-9-1

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 11185.
The Indemnity Savings & Loan Co., of Lima, Ohio, plaintiff
vs.
Elmira Vastbinder, et al., defendants.
Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, November 22nd, 1902,

between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in the city of Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

And known as being all of lot number four (4) in the subdivision of the central part of the west half of the west half of the northwest quarter of section number six (6), town four (4), south, range seven (7) east, except that portion of the north part of said lot number four (4) above described now occupied by the south portion of the Boysell and Reece brick block; said brick block being located on lot number five (5) and the north part of said lot number four (4), being a lot of land fronting forty-eight and one-half feet (48½), on south Main street and extending east two hundred and sixteen (216) feet to an alley.

Appraised at $4,000.00
Terms: Cash.

E. J. BARR,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, October 22, 1902.
COPELAND & ROGERS,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

$25.00 REWARD.

Notice is hereby given that the City of Lima, Ohio, will pay a reward of the sum of $25.00 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons sending in a false fire alarm.

By order of the City Council.
FRED C. BEAM, City Clerk.
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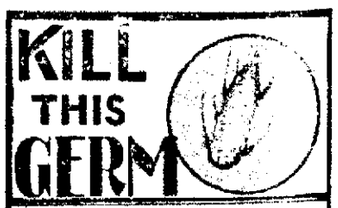

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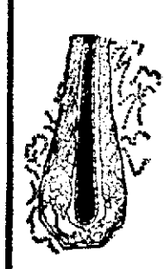

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makes kidneys and bladder strong.

MANY

Business Blocks Being Built.

In South Lima

The Building Enterprise Still Continues.

South Lima Baptists Will Purchase a Parsonage Soon.

John Caine, of South Main Street, is Provided With a Good Home at Buffalo School.

The trustees of the south Lima Baptist church have been authorized by the congregation to purchase a parsonage Negotiations are now in progress with Rev W H Gallant, of St Marys, for his residence just west of the church on east Kibby street. It is quite probable the deal will be closed within a few days Rev. Schmitz of Ada, who has received a call to the church will in all probability accept Friday evening The special evangelistic services at this church continue in interest the nightly attendance being large Rev O L Martin, pastor of the First Baptist church at Kenton, is here to assist in the meetings He is an excellent cornet player and is pleasing all by his beautiful solos upon the instrument. Mr Martin is also a vocalist of ability as are Rev Schmitz and Rev Houghten The singing of these gentlemen contribute largely to the interest and success of the meetings.

Taken in Charge

John Caine of south Main street who was taken from a Lake Erie and Western train a few days ago while attempting to steal a ride out of the city was fortunate in receiving the attention of Rev F G Rupert pastor of St Johns church and Rev A E Manning of St Rose church Those gentlemen arranged for the lad to enter a school where he will receive proper care and training It is alleged by the youth that his step father treated him so cruelly that he had resolved to leave home when arrested Rev Manning left last night for Buffalo N Y where he will place the boy in a school

Painfully Hurt.

Charles Rise of south Union street, while working in the carpentering department of the L E & W, shops met with a painful accident yesterday His right hand was caught in a planer which cut out a large portion of the palm of the hand A physician dressed the wound which is painful The accident will detain him from his employment a long time

A Hard Fall.

Wreathie Allen a child residing with her parents on Atlantic avenue fell down the cellar stairs at their home yesterday afternoon The child struck her head against a corner of one of the steps and inflicted a deep and painful gash in her forehead

Two Removals.

Edward Stine of east Circular street with his family, moved today to Huntersville where they will reside, Mr Stine having accepted the management of a mill in that place Leonard Barber, of Circular street, with his wife, also went to Hunterville where they will make their future home

Business Notes.

William Boop has engaged in business on south Main street, in the recently remodeled building near the river

Barth & France have also begun business in the Fritz block on south Main street

Charles Raines will soon engage in business upon an enlarged scale in the Smith block on south Main street

George Kah has begun a large addition to his business block on south Main street

L A Dean of St Johns avenue has begun the building of an elegant large and modern residence on west Circular street

Work will soon begin upon a large brick business block to be erected just east of the new McComb block on south Main street, near Elm.

Excavating has begun for the new Hawisher block to be erected at the corner of Main and Elm streets

The foundations for the new parochial residence for St Johns parish are about completed The residence will be built just south of the church It will be a handsome modern and commodious house The basement will be occupied by the furnace room vegetable cellar and fuel rooms The first floor will comprise the parlor, pastors office dining apartments cullinary department and sleeping apartments Upon the second floor will be situated the pastors study, sleeping rooms bath rooms and lavatories The third story will be occupied by the housekeepers apartments, clothes and storage rooms The residence which will be one of the most beautiful in the city will be built of brick embellished in stone A massive and beautiful porch will be built at the front and on the north and south sides of the house.

Christian Convention

A number from this locality are attending the convention of the Christian church at Lafayette today Representatives from fifty churches in the district will attend

Gaining a Record

Albert Ackerman formerly of this city but now residing at Kenton is acquiring quite a record as an athlete He is the star player of the celebrated basket ball team of his home town Of late he has met and defeated several professional wrestlers the last one being Kelley of Cincinnati Ackerman's friends here are interested in his future which is promising

The Visitors List.

L Wideman, of south Main street, has returned from a business mission to Ft. Wayne Ind

Wm James, one of Kenton's prominent business men, spent a few hours in this locality yesterday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Berndt, who have been visiting at Lewis Rebinans, on west Vine street left yesterday for their home at Ft. Wayne, Ind

H. E Rutledge and wife, of south Elizabeth street, are home from Ada, where they visited relatives several days

Mrs C M Aldrich, of Greenlawn avenue is being entertained at the home of friends in Delaware

J D Lockwood a veteral resident of south Union street, who has been in declining health the past several months and whom it was thought was convalescing, has suffered a relapse, and is growing gradually weaker, it is hoped however, that he will again rally

W C Siotts of south Main street is spending this week in West Cairo.

Mrs W L Binkley, of south Elizabeth street, has gone to Swantown to spend a few days at the parental home.

Rev. F. F. Bowdell, of south Elizabeth street, left this morning for a tour of Ohio and Indiana. He will conduct evangelistic services in a number of cities in each of the states.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. McCormick, after a pleasant visit at Thomas [illegible] street, left [illegible] Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. C. [illegible] Harris, of south Union street are the delighted parents of an interesting baby girl that came to their home yesterday.

Mrs. Anna Hotchkiss, of south Main street, has returned from a two weeks visit with Mrs. Edward Blakely, of Newport, Ky.

L. T. Watkins, of Huntington, Ind., is spending a few days with south Lima friends.

G. A. Herret, of south Elizabeth street, is at Denison, Mich., upon a business trip.

DYSPEPSIA OR WOMEN.

Mrs. E. B. Bradshaw, of Guthrie, Okla., cured of a severe case by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

A great many women suffer with a form of indigestion or dyspepsia which does not seem to yield to ordinary medical treatment. While the symptoms seem to be similar to those of ordinary indigestion, yet the medicines universally prescribed do not seem to restore the patient's normal condition

Mrs. Pinkham claims that there is a kind of dyspepsia that is caused by derangement of the female organism, and which, while it causes disturbance similar to ordinary indigestion, cannot be relieved without a medicine which not only acts as a stomach tonic, but has peculiar uterine-tonic effects as well.

Thousands of testimonial letters prove beyond question that nothing will relieve this distressing condition so surely as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It always works in harmony with the female system.

Mrs. Pinkham advises sick women free. Address Lynn, Mass.

OIL STRATA

Carefully Traced in California.

The United States Geological Survey

Add Some Valuable Information Regarding the Sources of Oil in Great Petroleum Producing Region.

During the present season G H Eldridge, of the United States Geological Survey has been engaged in a careful examination of the petroleum fields of California with a view to discovering the source of oil These fields lie in the Coast Range and along side the great Central Valley of the State, but thus far their chief developments has been south of the parallel of San Francisco In order to locate their source it has been necessary to study the general geologic features of the Coast Range and Central Valley, and especially the oil bearing formations themselves and the structural conditions in the areas in which they are found

Although the work is yet incomplete several important results have been established one of which is the presence of petroleum of from 11 to 42 degrees Baume in a series of strata at least 25 000 feet thick A second result of the investigation is the separation of this series, on lithologic or paleontologic grounds into nearly a dozen distinctly recognizable formations chiefly of Tertiary age It is important to note that petroleum was found under many structural conditions yet nearly all seemingly in harmony with the anticlinal theory The technical and economic uses of the California petroleum particularly in its application as fuel will also be considered in the course of the work as planned

TRACTION

Company Condemns to Get Right of Way.

The Ft Wayne, Van Wert and Lima Traction company last evening filed three suits for reapportionment of property which reduced to plain english means that they have filed three suits for condemnation of a right-of way for their road The defendants are Celestin Gladieux Ida S Miller and Joseph Townsend, all of whose property lies east of New Haven Other suits are pending—Ft Wayne Sentinel

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

NEW PASTOR

Installed at Sidney Presbyterian Church.

Rev. Leroy M Coffman, the new pastor of the Presbyterian church at Sidney, was installed Tuesday evening Dr Thompson, pastor of Market street church, presided and delivered the charge to the congregation Rev James Patterson, who recently tendered his resignation and accepted another call, preached the installation sermon

She was sitting up with a sick man.
No professional nurse was she
Simply sitting up with her love-sick lover.
Giving him Rocky Mountain Tea.

H F. Vortkamp, corner North and Main streets.

You can compliment a woman by praising her home, or her children, but compliments given to a man must be first hand

All women should strive to be beautiful. Beauty rules mankind. Rocky Mountain Tea brings a creamy rich, blooming complexion.

H. F. Vortkamp, corner North and Main streets.

An Indian Medicine.

A New Discovery Which Cures all forms of Catarrh.

The tablet is the ideal form in which to administer medicine, but until recently no successful catarrh tablet had ever been attempted. There is now, however, an excellent and palatable remedy for catarrh in tablet form, known as Stuart's Catarrh Tablets and sold by druggists, composed of the most recent discoveries in medicine for cure of catarrh and results from their use have been highly gratifying.

The old time treatment of catarrh was in the form of inhalers, washes, douches, sprays, etc. Later on internal remedies were used with greater success, but being in liquid or powder form were inconvenient to use and like all medicines in liquid or powder form, lose their medicinal properties when opened or exposed to the air.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, contain highly concentrated antiseptics Hydrastin, Blood root, and Red Gum which kill the catarrh germs in the blood and mucous membrane, and in this respect are strictly scientific and modern, because all authorities are now agreed that catarrh is a constitutional blood disease, and local applications can have only a transitory effect.

The use of inhalers, douches and sprays is a nuisance and inconvenience and can in no wise compare favorably with the same antiseptics given in tablet form internally, where they can reach the stomach and blood and kill catarrh germs right where they are produced

A prominent lawyer and public speaker of Pittsburg says "I have been troubled with catarrh of the head and throat for twelve years In this climate it seems impossible to get rid of it The continual dropping of mucous from the nose into the throat caused irritation and hoarseness, seriously interfering with my public speaking It took me an hour or more of coughing, gagging, expectorating and sneezing every morning before I could settle down to work and this condition gradually brought on catarrh of the stomach, causing loss of appetite poor digestion and a foul breath which annoyed me exceedingly My physician advised me to try Stuart's Catarrh Tablets and I took them for two months and was astonished to find how quickly they cleared my head throat and stomach and I have no hesitation in recommending them They are not only pleasant to take but they seem to get at the very root of the trouble, because since using them, I have had no trace of catarrh

Druggists sell Stuart's Catarrh Tablets at 50 cents for full sized packages

They can be carried in the pocket and used any time and as often as desired since they contain no cocaine mercury or any other injurious drug

THE STAGE.

Besides being a vehicle for the introduction of sensational scenes, beautiful stage settings and startling mechanical effects, "Her Marriage Vow" which will be presented at Faurot opera house tonight, contains an intensely heart interesting story told in a natural way and acted to the life of a company of exceptionally clever people Among the company are the Misses Willie Frances Elizabeth Rathburn Annie Ashley, Eva Benton and the Messrs W E Whitecar, Thomas Irwin, Henry Buckler, Van H Kinzie and Louis F Howard

* * *

Miss Amy Dale who takes the part of Jennie, the heorine of the play, is an extremely handsome young lady, who made her first distinct hit in the musical comedy, "The Burgomaster" Her clever acting attractive dancing and general vim and go won for her a prominent place in the affections of the public and made such a distinct impression that she at once sprang into general popularity. In the part of Jennie she has a character which gives her ample opportunity for the display of all her capabilities, and she takes full advantage of this opportunity making a distinct hit and creating a character of great attractiveness "The Black Vipers" will be the attraction at Faurots opera house tomorrow evening

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Mary Rice, a Chicago school teacher in speaking of "Ten Nights in a Bar Room," said "I believe it to be the most instructive play on the stage today, and one that every man woman and child should see, for it not only interests adults, but engraves on the juvenile mind a lesson that cannot be easily forgotten." Al. W. Martin will bring his big revival to the Faurot opera house on next Saturday, Oct. 25

Too late to cure after consumption has fastened its deadly grip on the lungs. Take Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup while yet there is time.

? THE BURNING QUESTION ?

What to burn for fuel this winter, is puzzling.

SOME WISE PEOPLE

Are taking time by the forelock and buying round-oak and hot blast stoves NOW. Perhaps you cannot get them later.

We received a shipment of hot blasts last week and sold every one by Saturday night. We've ordered more and are prepared to fill your wants promptly. Our $11.00, $13.00 $15.00 $18.00 and $20.00 stoves are of IMMENSE INTEREST to CLOSE, SHREWD BUYERS. YOU want to buy the best, don't YOU? Then see US.

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232 North Main Street.

ADMINISTRATRIX' SALE.

Case No 8262
Emeline Davis, as administratrix plaintiff,
vs
Emeline Davis, et al, defendant

By virtue of an order of sale issued from the probate court of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale on the premises hereinafter described in Lima, Allen county, Ohio,

Saturday, November 15th, 1902,

between the hours of 1 o'clock and 3 o'clock p m, the following described lands and tenements, situated in the city of Lima, Allen county and state of Ohio and described as follows, to-wit

Being in lot number nineteen hundred and four (1904) and ten (10) feet off of the east side of inlot number nineteen hundred and three (1903) of Irvin & Brice's addition to the said city of Lima, Ohio, appraised at three thousand ($3 000 00) dollars I will also offer for sale on the same day and at the same hours the following personal property which is now on the above described premises One 20 horse power gas engine one planer and all other sash and door factory machinery contained in the building on the premises above described Terms of sale cash on day of sale, and to be sold at not less than two-thirds of the appraised value

EMELINE DAVIS.
Administratrix of the estate of Evan Davis deceased, Lima, Ohio, Oct 22nd, 1902
WELTY & DOWNING,
7-wed th 4w Her Attorneys

What has become of the old-fashioned person who said to a child that had fallen "Come here and I'll held you up?"

Out of Death's Jaws.

"When death seemed very near from a severe stomach and liver trouble, that I had suffered with for years," writes P Muse, Durham, N. C, "Dr. King's New Life Pills saved my life and gave perfect health" Best pills on earth and only 25c at H F Vortkamp's drug store, corner Main and North streets.

When a farmer is given a pair of slippers, he puts them away to wear when he is past 80 and too old to work on the farm

Goes Like Hot Cakes.

"The fastest selling article I have in my store," writes druggist C T Smith of Davis Ky, "Dr King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, because it always cures. In my six years of sale it has never failed. I have known it to save sufferers from throat and lung diseases, who could get no help from doctors or any other remedy." Mothers rely on it, best physicians prescribe it, and H. F Vortkamp guarantees satisfaction or refund price. Trial bottles free. Regular sizes, 50c and $1.

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A striker has no more fear of a militiaman than he has of a scab

Dr. Humphreys.

After fifty years Dr. Humphreys' Specifics enjoy the greatest popularity and largest sale in their history, due to intrinsic merit. They cure the sick.

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2	Worms, Worm Fever, Worm Colic	.25
3	Teething, Colic, Crying, Wakefulness	.25
4	Diarrhea, of Children or Adults	.25
7	Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis	.25
9	Neuralgia, Toothache, Facache	.25
9	Headache, Sick Headache, Vertigo	.25
10	Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Weak Stomach	.25
11	Suppressed or Painful Periods	.25
12	Whites, Too Profuse Periods	.25
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The Weather.

Washington, Oct. 23.—For Ohio: showers tonight and Friday; warmer tonight in southern and central portions.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Secretary of State,
REV. H. S. BIGELOW,
Of Hamilton County.

For Supreme Judge,
MICHAEL DONNELLY,
Of Henry County.

For Member of Board Public Works,
JOSEPH K. PATER,
Of Butler County.

For Dairy and Food Commissioner,
PHILIP H. BRUCK,
Of Franklin County.

For Member of Congress,
HARVEY GARDER,
Of Darke County.

For Circuit Judge,
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of Marion County.

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For Clerk of the Courts,
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A. D. MILLER.

For Prosecuting Attorney,
Wm. KLINGER.

For County Recorder,
P. T. MELL.

For County Commissioner,
WILLIAM J. JUDKINS.

For Infirmary Director,
DAVID STEPLETON.

The trusts want the Republican party kept in power. This power is promoted by the election of Republican candidates to office, because every such candidate elected to any office adds that much to strengthen trust domination and maintain trust rule.

After spending nearly two months in a special session tinkering with the code, which was finally passed under a strict party vote, the people of Ohio are almost up to another extra session if we many credit the following paragraph from the Toledo Blade of last night:

"It may be that the Ohio legislature will again be called in extra session. A decision of the state supreme court yesterday declared unconstitutional the school laws of Hamilton and Butler counties, while the Toledo case has been advanced to an early hearing. Representative Seese, chairman of the committee on common schools, thinks an extra session is inevitable to pass a new school law, applicable to all cities."

When the people get tired of the waste of money by Republican legislators through their incometency and carelessness in passing unconstitutional laws, let them obtain a breathing spell by electing another Democratic legislature.

Because the Democratic party is the friend of the people, the masses and the poor, capital and its selfish combinations are its persistent enemies. When the Democratic party was in power capital resented a proposed equality with its hand-maid, labor, and went on a needless strike precipitating a cruel and unwarranted panic and when the Republican party is in power labor must strike in order to prevent itself from being crushed to a condition of abject slavery. And so it goes and will continue to go until the people reach that degree of moral and political independence which will enable them to regulate and control matters by their ballots. There should be no strikes of capital when the Democratic party is in power and no occasion for labor to strike when the Republican party is in power. The ballot should govern capital and teach it how best to serve for it is a servant by nature but capital should never

strikes in 1900, with 2,124,154 days thus lost in 1899, and with something like 20,000,000 working days thus far lost in 1902 from the same cause.

All of the important metals decreased in both output and value, with the exception of the production of pig iron and zinc, and among the less important metals the most remarkable increase both in quantity and value was made in platinm: 1,408 ounces valued at $27,526, as compared with 400 ounces valued at $2,500 in 1900, a gain of 1,001 per cent. in value. The fuels increased from $406,359,351 in 1900 to $442,395,304 in 1901, a gain of $36,035,953 or 8.87 per cent. Every variety of fuel increased in value except petroleum, which showed an increase in quantity of 5,768,605 barrels, but a decline of $9,571,978, due largely to the less valuable character of the increased product of the new petroleum fields as compared with the older fields. Anthracite coal increased 9,021,207 long tons in output and $26,746,196 in value. The average price of anthracite coal per ton at the mine was $2.95, the highest figure obtained since 1888, as compared with $1.85 in 1900 and $1.76 in 1899; and the average price per ton for bituminous coal at the mine was $1.05, about one cent more per ton for bituminous coal than in 1900.

The gain of $22,908,973 is due entirely to the increase in the nonmetallic products, since the metallic products showed a decline from $550,425,286, in 1900 to $518,263,377 in 1901, a loss of $32,156,909, whereas the nonmetallic products increased from $512,199,262 in 1900 to $557,264,144 in 1901, a gain of $55,065,882. To these products should be added estimated unspecified products, including the rare minerals, lithium, tungsten, vanadium, uranium, etc., bismuth and crystalline quartz valued at $1,000,000, making the total mineral production for 1901, $1,086,529,521.

For the first time since 1885 the production of bismuth in the United Staotes is noted in this report. The manufacture of arsenious oxide was taken up for the first time in the United States in 1901, by the Puget Sound Reduction company at Seattle, Wash., when an output of 300 short tons was placed on the market. For the first time also, in 1901, the production of rutile on a large scale was realized by the American Rutile company from the deposits in Nelson county, Va., whose output amounted to about 40,000 pounds.

M'MILLAN'S GENEROSITY.

The Senator's Kindness to a Brakeman and a Woman Employee.

The late Senator James McMillan of Michigan was princely in his liberality, says the Detroit Tribune. In public and private charity, in support of his party and in encouragement of many deserving objects and persons he annually donated a respectable fortune. His beneficence was systematic and unceasing. He contributed annually to every charitable institution in Detroit and made a special donation of $5,000 to the poor fund during the year 1894. Whenever he encountered any striking example of the world's misery he always sought to relieve it. Into his office came one day a brakeman who had been employed on his Lake Superior railroad. The man's leg had been injured by the cars, and he had been sent to a hospital. He frankly told Mr. McMillan that the road was not to blame for the accident; that it was caused by his own carelessness. Mr. McMillan defrayed his expenses and before he returned to Lake Superior gave him an artificial leg, an outfit of clothing and an order for steady employment.

A few years ago a Texas clergyman came to Detroit. He was agent for the Mary Allen seminary at Crockett, Tex., an institution for the education and industrial training of colored girls. The lady who founded the institution had succeeded in erecting the educational building and had then died, and a dormitory was needed to make the seminary a success. Mr. McMillan heard the appeal, invited the clergyman to call upon him, and when he heard a full description of the institution said: "My dear sir, you can return home. I will be happy to carry the matter to a conclusion." The result was a fine dormitory building close to the seminary for which the senator paid $16,000.

As Senator McMillan's fortune increased so did his charitable works, says the New York Times. When first chosen a senator, he was known as a systematic giver to private and public philanthropic undertakings, and no other man in Michigan, it is stated, ever gave away so much money or gave it more ungrudgingly than he. As an instance of his generosity and his regard for those who were dependent upon him for their livelihood it is related that once he advised an employee to invest $1,000 in a company he was incorporating. The employee, a woman, replied that she did not have $1,000.

"Well," said Mr. McMillan, "I'll invest it for you, and you can repay me out of the dividends."

There are in Michigan—and elsewhere, for that matter—hundreds of young men whom he aided. He helped many of them to get an education. To others he gave situations in connection with the enterprises he controlled.

TARANTULA PEST IN SPAIN.

Guitar Players, Believed Able to Cure Bites, Reap Rich Harvest.

Andalusia is suffering from a plague of tarantula spiders which have overrun the fields and have in some instances attacked the peasant farmers in their homes, says a special cable dispatch from Madrid, Spain, to the Chicago News. Local relief societies have revived the old Andalusian tradition that guitar music is the best method for curing the tarantula bite.

It is said that the tarantula poison produces a racking nervous disturbance, which induces the bitten person to begin dancing when he hears the hum of the spider and to keep on dancing until profuse perspiration is induced, when he falls down exhausted, but cured.

In consequence of the revival of this belief hundreds of guitar players have flocked into Andalusia to ply their art in the homes of the victims of the spiders, encouraging the dancing and stimulating the healing process. The musicians are reaping a rich harvest.

LUZON RICH IN GOLD.

John Robinson Tells of the Island's Deposits.

John Robinson, former swimming master of the Chicago Athletic association, has returned from a three and a half years' stay in the Philippines and is enthusiastic over the future of the islands.

"There is gold in quantities in the province of Benquet, in northern Luzon," said Mr. Robinson to a reporter of the Chicago Tribune. "When good mining laws are passed and the use of powder and dynamite is allowed, it will not be long before the mines are opened up. Thousands of men have secured claims and are waiting for a chance to develop them.

"In the southeastern peninsula of Luzon and in the islands of Mindanao, Masbate, Mindora and Panay there also are rich gold and copper deposits. There are coalfields at hand for fuel and power."

One of the greatest mistakes in life is that those who can afford a handsome modern nursery, have no children to put in it.

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CRUEL MURDER OF A KENTUCKY GIRL.

Thought to Have Been Incited Through Feeling of Rivalry.

Marion, Ky., Oct. 23.—Last night, the daughter of Horace Williamson, a prominent farmer, was shot and instantly killed while she was returning from church, accompanied by a young man named Brown. Two shots were fired, both striking the young woman, one tearing away the lower part of her face and the other lodging in her shoulder.

The barrel of the shotgun was within five feet of the girl when the shots were fired. Sometime ago, Brown and another young man had a quarrel regarding the young woman. Blood hounds were put on the murderers' trail this morning.

MINES

And Mines in the United States.

Largest Gain

Was Made in the Years 1899 Over 1898

Which Amounted to Nearly Forty Per Cent. Increase.

A Heavy Decline Occurred in the Depression of 1894, Which was Many Millions Less Than in 1892.

The volume of Mineral Resources of the United States for the calendar year 1901, David T. Day, Chief of Division, now in press, United States Geological Survey, presents an interesting and valuable summary of the mineral production of 1901, as compared with the corrected statistics for other recent years.

In 1901, for the second time the total value of our mineral production exceeds the enormous sum of $1,000,000,000, the exact figures being $1,086,529,521, as compared with $1,063,520,548 in 1900, and with $972,152,208 in 1899, a gain of 1901 over 1900 of $22,908,973, or 2.15 per cent, and a gain of 1901 over 1899 of $114,377,313, or 11.77 per cent.

The notable gains and losses of the last two decades are as follows:

The largest actual gain was that of 1899 over 1898, $273,601,810, or 39.17 per cent; next that of 1900 over 1899, $91,468,350, or 9.41 per cent; then the gain of 1895 over 1894, which was $94,215,822, or 17.88 per cent., and the gain of 1887 over 1886, $74,927,880, or 16.81 per cent. In other years than those mentioned between 1880 and 1898 the gains were not noteworthy, and in some of the years, notably in 1884 the production decreased $40,461,968, or nearly 9 per cent. During the industrial depression of 1892-1895 the production would have been expected to decline, as it did, going from $648,895,031 in 1892 to $514,464,724 in 1893; to $527,079,225 in 1894, and then rising to $621,295,047 in 1895, and not reaching the output of 1892 until 1898.

As heretofore, iron and coal are the most important of our mineral products. The value of iron in 1901 was $242,174,000, as compared with $259,944,000 in 1900, and the value of coal was $348,910,469, as compared with $306,671,364 in 1900.

It is to be noted that the total amount of time lost from strikes in the coal industry 1901 was only 733,802 working days, as compared with 4,878,102 working days lost from

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Madora Stubbs, Spiceland, Ind., says: "I used Zoa Phora for painful periods and it cured. I used it afterwards in pregnancy and found it a great and sure relief."

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CIVIL SERVICE REFORM

How a One Time Supporter Has Become a Destroyer.

DISCHARGE OF REBECCA TAYLOR

President Roosevelt Follows the Lead of the German Emperor—Free Speech Denied to All Employees of the Government Who Do Not Sing the Gang's Praises.

Civil service reform has been brought to its lowest ebb by the order issued by President Roosevelt. This is the more extraordinary in that when the president held his first office of civil service commissioner under President Cleveland he was a most stanch supporter of the most strict construction of the law. Under the present administration of the law by the Republicans there has been a complete reversal of the record on the subject, and the partisans who now control the departments have full sway to "promote the efficiency of the service" by getting rid of those under them who raise a word of protest against the policy of the Republican party on any question. The case of Miss Rebecca Taylor, who criticised the political policy of President Roosevelt in his administration of the Philippine Islands and was summarily dismissed from the service for so doing, is a sample case under the new ruling that the president has set up. No charges against her character or work were made by the war department. In fact, there is every evidence that she was a most exemplary employee of the government.

The rule as now laid down by the president is that the partisan chiefs of bureaus are to be judge and jury of the fitness of the clerks under them and that the least show of independent thought will be cause for dismissal. This will result in the removal of all the Democratic clerks in the government service unless they bow the knee and keep their mouths shut on imperialism, the protection of the trusts, Cuban reciprocity and ship subsidies. Most of all, they must not utter any word that would reflect on the presidential doings and sayings. That would be leze majesty.

That was the crime that Miss Rebecca Taylor committed, if we can judge by the facts in the case. On May 12 a communication from her appeared in the Post of Washington, in which she criticised the speech of President Roosevelt delivered before the Sons of the American Revolution on "The Flag Shall Stay Put."

This communication evidently came to the notice of President Roosevelt, for a few days after it appeared Secretary Root notified the chief of the bureau in which Miss Taylor was employed to ask her if she had written the communication in the Post. This, of course, was an official formality, as her name was signed to it, and she acknowledged that she wrote it. Her dismissal did not follow at once, but on June 8 she was notified that she had been dropped from the rolls.

During this time, from May 12 until June 8, the president made a new and extraordinary ruling on the civil service, as follows:

CIVIL SERVICE RULING.

Whereas certain misunderstandings have existed in regard to the proper construction of section 8 of civil service rule 2, which provides as follows:

"No removal shall be made from the competitive classified service except for just cause and for reasons given in writing, and the person sought to be removed shall have notice and be furnished a copy of such reasons and be allowed a reasonable time for personally answering the same in writing. Copy of such reasons, notice and answer and of the order of removal shall be made a part of the records of the proper department or office, and the reasons for any change in rank or compensation within the competitive classified service shall also be made a part of the records of the proper department or office."

Now, for the purpose of preventing all such misunderstandings and improper construction of said section, it is hereby declared that the term "just cause" as used in section 8, civil service rule 2, is intended to mean any cause other than one merely political or religious which will promote the efficiency of the service, and nothing contained in said rule shall be construed to require the examination of witnesses or any trial or hearing except in the discretion of the officer making the removal.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

White House.
Approved May 29, 1902.

It is impossible to escape the conviction that this ruling was made expressly to cover the case of Miss Taylor. It would have been extremely awkward for the president and Secretary Root to have given reasons in writing for the dismissal, as the old rule required, so a new ruling was made to fit this case and any other case in the future.

That the letter and spirit of even this latest partisan ruling have been violated by the administration in the case of Miss Taylor is also certain. It will be difficult to make any unprejudiced person believe that the removal was not made for "merely political" reasons.

Political exigencies require that the Republican programme in the Philippines shall be maintained at all hazards. "The flag shall stay put" is politics pure and simple, the Republicans claiming that the flag must never be lowered when once raised and the Democrats claiming that it should be hauled down if improperly raised or the best interests of the country require it.

The other horn of the dilemma for the president to take hold of is that Miss Taylor hurt his pride by her criticism, and he, like his crowned friend of Germany, considers it a crime to question the sayings or doings of those in authority.

The effect of this ruling upon the personnel of the civil service must be disastrous. No clerk now will dare to speak or write his political sentiments unless favorable to the powers that be.

TRUSTS AND UNIONS.

If anyone had an idea that the trusts do not intend to punish organized labor and communities for action antagonistic to the wishes of these giant corporations, all that is necessary would be to investigate the situation in Columbiana county, adjoining Stark on the east. The U. S. Steel corporation, some time ago, dismantled and abandoned the tin mill at Irondale, which was practically the sole support of the town. September 28, the announcement was made that the Lisbon tin mill which has been idle some time, will be permanently closed and some eight hundred workmen will be thrown out of employment. In contrast with this, the mill owned by this corporation at Wellsville is being doubled in capacity, workmen are rushing the construction of these works as fast as possible. It will be remembered by those who watch such matters, that during the last strike the trust was compelled to abandon efforts to operate the Irondale and Lisbon plants with non-union men, but the Wellsville plant was started non-union and so conducted to the end of the contest. It does not require a prophet to read between the lines to find what the trust proposes to do with localities that are favorable to unions as compared to the localities that favor the United States Steel corporation.

THE EVERLASTING FIGHT.

It Is For "Equal Rights to All and Special Privileges to None."

In nearly every state in the Union where the Republican party is in power there is a fight in progress for equal taxation. The taxpayers are demanding that the trusts and railroad corporations pay taxes on their property at the same rate as the individual taxpaper does. In some states, notably Wisconsin, the Republican machine has been overthrown and a reform element of the party given a chance to bring about reforms. Nominating candidates for state officers and adopting a platform pledged to reform tax and other abuses is a good step in the right direction, but will be worthless unless followed up by the nomination and election of members of the legislatures that are also of the same mind.

There is where the Democratic voters in Republican states can make their power felt—by nominating men who are known to stand for equal rights to all and who have no complicating alliance with the railroads and who are not under obligations to them for favors received. It is rare to find a Republican politician of any note who is not tied to the railroads or other corporations and if elected would not legislate in their interest instead of that of the people.

It is encouraging to note that in nearly all the states controlled by the Democratic party a more equitable state of affairs exists and only requires that eternal vigilance for which Democrats since the days of Jefferson and Jackson have been noted to protect the people's interests by enforcing that good old adage of "equal rights to all and special privileges to none."

The average town man has many appetites than digestion.

No decent man ever enters an early without being ashamed of it.

ANTI-TRUST

The President's Course Of the Republican Party in the Senate and the President.

The New York Times thus deals with President Roosevelt's indefinite, indecisive programme for the remedy of the trust evil:

"The president talks with great zeal and earnestness about remedying evils, which he does not define, by an amendment, which he does not clearly express, to the constitution, which can be amended only with the greatest difficulty at any time and not at all at a time when, as now, the people have no notion even of what amendment is feasible or what it could do if adopted."

It will be recalled that in the last congress half a dozen bills were presented by Democratic members of the house and senate and an important bill by a Republican member—the Babcock bill—to meet the trust evil. Even the president's appeal for a publicity bill was taken account of by these bills. But what came of this zeal or legislation by the Republican majority in congress or through President Roosevelt's intervention? Every scrap or scrimpage of it was sidetracked. It was not even allowed consideration. All test votes were dexterously avoided. The Babcock bill, breaking up the partnership between the trusts and the Dingley tariff, was suppressed. President Roosevelt was unquestionably a party to this policy of avoidance and evasion. He uttered no word advising action on or even the consideration of these antitrust bills. They were suppressed with his approval.

Abandoning all attempts at legislation, demonstratively in the power of congress, the president has been trying to raise a great hullabaloo for a constitutional amendment.

The president's policy, to which he is devoting his stumping swing of the political circle, is clearly one of evasion and delay. He lacks the courage to face the issue. He dodges all expression on the antitrust bills before congress and then declares nothing can be done but by the impossible remedy of a constitutional amendment. This will throw the question over until after the next presidential election, leaving the president his opportunities to humbug both the trust and antitrust people. His party wants the votes of one section and the money and power of the other.

Johnson In Politics and Business.

Very few men in public office can separate business from politics, selfishness from patriotism, as can Tom L. Johnson, who just now, as the Democratic leader in Ohio, is conducting such a spectacular campaign.

When in congress, Johnson, who was known to be a big manufacturer of steel rails, was asked how he could reconcile his free trade policy with his duty to his steel rail company. He replied substantially as follows:

"I will reply to the distinguished gentlemen by saying first that I was not sent here to represent any corporation or manufacturing concern. I am here to represent the people. Also that we in this country can manufacture steel rails more cheaply than in any other country in the world, and there should be no duty upon them. I know what I am talking about, as I have been long in the business and am also familiar with the foreign modes of the same."

Why He Doesn't Knock Down Any Persimmons.

President's Plan Impractical.

In regard to the president's plan of a constitutional amendment as a cure for the trust evil the Lafayette (Ind.) Journal says, "Every prominent Democrat in Washington declares that the president's proposed remedy is impractical and chimerical and is intended only as a blind to circumvent the demand of all Democrats and of the western Republicans for the removal of the tariff on trust made goods."

Roosevelt and the Preacher.

A New York dispatch says that Rev. Henry Homer Washburne is likely to lose his pulpit on account of his preposterous sermon before President Roosevelt at Oyster Bay. The Johnstown (Pa.) Democrat remarks, "Mr. Washburne's mistake was in taking Mr. Roosevelt's fantastic war on the trusts too seriously."

A Careless Shepherd.

While Hunter Roosevelt was watching one hole for the trust wolf the tariff bear sneaked out of another hole and got into the Republican sheepfold, whose grievous bleatings now abound.

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ASSASSIN

In Disguise Attempted to Kill the Sultan.

The Life of Abdul Hamid, Ruler of Turkey, Was in Great Danger.

Vienna, Oct. 23.—The Tageblatt publishes a Constantinople dispatch, stating that an attempt has been made to assassinate the Sultan. It reports that a Bulgarian, disguised as a palace official, tried to kill Abdul Hamid but that the guards were alert and overpowered the would be assassin before he could harm the Sultan.

PERSONAL MENTION.

T. J. Carmody, who was for a number of years connected with the office of the Oil Well supply Co., in this city is here from Beaumont, Texas, on a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Resler, of Delphos were here yesterday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Coates, of 135 north West street.

Mrs. Beckman will lead the prayer-meeting at the Jefferson street mission Friday evening.

Miss Charlotte Whitney of San Francisco, has arrived here to spend the winter with friends.

Mrs. Lawrence Strayer and daughter, Thelma, of north Jackson street, are visiting with Mr. Strayer's parents in Bluffton.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Diehl, of north Elizabeth street, are the happy parents of a new born son.

Water rent now due for last half of year 1907. 8-1t

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With the Plunging Engine

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Engineer Chas. Kline Tells of the Thrilling Experiences

He Went Through When His Engine Dashed Into an Open Switch Running at a Rate of Sixty Miles an Hour.

The C. H. & D. officials, including superintendent Gordon, of the Lima-Cincinnati division, have very generously complimented and praised passenger engineer Charles Kline for his heroic and successful efforts to save the lives of the passengers of his train at the time of the wreck at Elmwood Place Tuesday morning when the "Skipper" ran into an open switch. Engineer Kline remained at his post until he had done everything that it was possible for a human being to do, to stop the ill-fated train. He did his work coolly and quickly and every railroad man who has heard the true story of the wreck says that he did it well. The fact that he brought a passenger train from Cincinnati to Lima night before last, making the run as though nothing had occurred, is good evidence that the frightful experience did not like such experiences frequently do, shake the nerve of the one man upon whose coolness and action in the critical moment depended the lives of a trainload of passengers.

Mr. Kline states that the train was running at a rate of fully sixty miles an hour when he pulled into Elmwood Place and he was watching anxiously for the block to see if they had it. He soon saw that the block was in his favor and with the realization of this fact he drew a breath of relief and instantly dropped his eyes so that the rails were again directly in his line of vision—and there only a few yards ahead of his flying engine was the open switch. He could have jumped immediately but his only thought was to reduce the speed before the engine hit the reverse curve, (for he knew she could never hold the rails at the speed she was going) and then get stopped entirely before any obstruction was found ahead. With one hand he shut off and with the other he threw on the emergency and the next instant the engine hit the curve, left the rails and was knocked back onto them again by the collision with the tank car. Still the enginemen remained at their posts and did not "unload" until all was done that was possible and the collision with the switch engine was seen to be inevitable. The speed of the train had been greatly reduced, however, and all the injuries received by the passengers were sustained by reason of the collision with the tank car that failed to "clear". The collision with the switch engine did very little damage.

The records of engineer Kline and conductor C. J. Connell, who were in charge of the train, are remarkable and commendable. The former has been pulling passenger trains for twenty years and Mr. Connell has running passenger trains for sixteen years, and the wreck at Elmwood Place was the first that either has had during their long terms mentioned.

Victims of the Wreck.

All of the victims of Tuesday's wreck of "The Lima Skipper" which occurred at Elmwood Place, on the C. H. & D. railway, were last evening reported to be out of danger and improving in condition. Mrs. Nettie Bleeks, whose leg, it was at first thought would have to be amputated has so much improved that Dr. Bushing, of Elmwood Place, says that the operation will be unnecessary. She and her daughter Martha, were yesterday removed to their home in Hamilton. Mrs. Tessie Walter and daughter were also sent to their Hamilton home at noon yesterday. Mrs. Walter is in a critical condition, due to the nervous shock. The wrecked bridge over Bloody Run will be put in condition within the next 24 hours. —Cincinnati Enquirer.

Investigation Commenced.

Officials of the C. H. & D. yesterday, says the Cincinnati Enquirer, commenced an investigation for the purpose of placing the responsibility for the wreck of the "Lima Skipper" Tuesday. [illegible] Manager Wilson says that the blame for the accident rests between Conductor Anderson and brakeman Noonan, of the second section of freight No. 99, which had just passed before the wreck occurred, and one of the crews of which failed to close the switch.

Three Months Record.

The number of persons killed in train accidents during the months of April, May and June, last as shown by a bulletin issued by the Interstate Commerce Commission, giving the reports made by the railroad companies was 148, and the injured 1,810. Accidents of other kinds, including those sustained by employes while at work and by passengers getting on or off the cars, etc., swells the aggregate to 618 killed and 9,530 injured, or a total of 10,136 casualties.

The total number of collisions and derailments was 2,010, of which 1,094 were collisions. Of these, 157 collisions and 101 derailments affected passenger trains. The damage resulting to cars, engines and roadway by these accidents aggregates $1,813,833.

The total casualties during the fiscal year ended June 30, last, including the above figures, were 2,819 killed and 39,800 injured. The number of employes killed shows a diminution of 68 per cent since 1893, when the safety appliance act was passed.

Made Train Dispatcher.

J. W. Witwer, who has been the day operator and ticket agent at the L. E. & W., during the week past, leaves for Lima tonight, where he will visit his family for a few days previous to going to Van Wert. Mr. Witwer came to Findlay from Red Key, Ind., where he was operator on the L. E. & W., and although here but a very short time he has made innumerable friends and those who have had the good fortune to meet him will regret exceedingly to see him leave. His new station is Van Wert, where he will assume his duties as train dispatcher.—Findlay Jeffersonian.

American Railway Association.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 22.—Members of the American Railway association including high officials of the leading roads of the country, gathered in semi-annual session here today and will remain during the rest of the week. There are a number of important matters to come before this meeting among which are a report on train service car service and service reports. There will undoubtedly be a great deal of discussion of the per diem plan, which was fully consummated at the last meeting of the association and which has now been in operation about four months.

General Notes.

J. W. Witwer, city ticket agent of the L. E. & W., left last night for Van Wert where he becomes train dispatcher for the Cincinnati Northern. His place will be filled temporarily for a few days.—Finday Republican.

FUNERAL

Of Mrs. Geo. P. Frasch Will be Held Tomorrow.

The remains of Mrs. George B. Frasch accompanied by Mr. Frasch and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Baxter, arrived here from Hot Springs, S. D., last evening, and were taken to the home of the deceased's parents, Col. and Mrs. I. T. Moore, on west Market street.

The funeral will be held from the residence at 10 o'clock tomorrow (Friday) morning.

WORKMAN

In Lima Machine Works Boiler Shop Injured.

George McCume, an employe in the boiler shop at the Lima Locomotive & Machine Co.'s Works, was severely injured today by being struck on one side of the head by an angle iron. He was rendered unconscious by the blow, and it was at first thought that his skull was fractured. He was removed to the city hospital in Bennett's ambulance and was attended by Drs. Jones and Laudick, who found that he had received a very severe blow, but that his skull was not fractured, and no serious results are anticipated.

NO TRUTH

In the Alice Roosevelt Marriage Report.

Washington Oct. 22. There is no truth in the story that Miss Alice Roosevelt is about to marry John Greenway, of Hot Springs, Ark. It is denied by those near to the president.

Rich, Red Blood, Free Bowels at the Enterprise drug store.

COLONEL TIM

Becomes the Subject of an Article

Which Recently Appeared in a California Paper.

The Genial Gentleman Who Has so Many Friends in Lima is Forging Ahead in the Golden State.

The many friends in Lima, of Tim Spellacy, will be gratified by the following article which appeared in a recent editoral of a Bakersfield, California newspaper:

"Who is Tim Spellacy? Tim Spellacy, that's all. There is no one else like him. He is in a class by himself. In the oil fields of Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio and Indiana, it's Tim; in California it's nothing more, nothing less than plain Tim, honest Tim,—Tim. As railroad commissioner of California would he become "swelled up" with his importance? No! God made him so he couldn't swell; he is tall, lank, lean and of the Lincoln type of manhood, physically and mentally. Would he be honest! Well, Tim's his first name, and honesty is his last name. Everybody knows him by his first name, and as soon as a man knows him by his first name he "catches on" to his last name and never forgets it. Would he be an intelligent officer? Well, he has been in business in many states of the union and in the territory of Alaska, including for several years past the state of California. He commenced as a common oil driller in Pennsylvania, twentyfive years ago, and has worked his way up so that now he is one of the best known oil men in the United States. His testimony on freight rates for oil before the railroad commission last spring showed his wide range of information on the subject and established his reputation in California. Is he a man of family and morals? Well, the two don't always go together, but in this case they do. He has just the nicest woman for a wife, and the sweetest little girl for a daughter here at Bakersfield that ever adorned a husband and father. Yes, he is the model family man, and as a man of morals he is like "Caesar's wife." Now you don't have to take one man's word for it, everybody who knows Tim says so, and if anybody from Kern county, where he is known, says differently, whether Democrat or Republican, he is likely to be lynched or at least regarded as an enemy and dangerous to the public welfare. Well, is there any reason why he should not be elected? No, none at all except that there is a large Republican majority in the third railroad district to be overcome, but the position is non-partisan, and to elect him everybody should "stand in." Timothy Spellacy, born in Pennsylvania about forty-eight years ago, for more than a quarter of a century has had an honorable career as a business man. While in the east on a visit, his friends recognized his fitness for the position and without his knowledge, nominated him for the office of railroad commissioner. His election to this office would be a deserved tribute to his great worth and the confidence imposed in him by his friends.

AID SOCIETY

Was Delightfully Entertained by Mrs. Baker.

Yesterday afternoon the Ladies' Aid society of one of the local churches was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Susan Baker and daughter of south Pierce street. There were quite a number of visitors present and all gave encouraging remarks. Mrs. E. C. Adams also gave the members a very interesting and helpful address, and she also expressed the gratitude of the members for the excellent manner in which their hostess was entertaining them and voiced the appreciation for the delightful manner in which they had previously been entertained by Mesdames Scott and Collins. The society donated over fifty dollars to a fund that is being created for the purpose of remodeling their church. The society will meet two weeks from today at the home of Mrs. Gee, on south Union street.

ATTENTION!

The members of Lima Command No. 155 S. W. V. will hold their regular meeting this evening at No. 123 west High street, Lima, Ohio, instead of the armory as usual. A full attendance of the comrades is desired at this meeting.

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ENGINEER

Of the B. & O. Inspecting the C. L. & M.

And His Presence Arouses New Interest.

Just What the Attitude of the Company is Can Only be Guessed at at the Present Time.

Interest is again alert in reguard to the C. L. & M. railway, the local public being concerned as to the ultimate outcome of the line, says the Defiance Crescent.

The B. & O. railroad is still figuring on taking the property as is evidenced by late movements.

A. M. Kinsman, the chief engineer of construction of the B. & O. with headquarters at Zanesville and Chicago, arrived in the city last evening, and this morning, in company with H. C. Baker, hired a livery rig and left for a close personal inspection of the C. L. & M. It is understood that the inspection will not stop at Lima but will go through to Columbus.

The right-of-way from Lima to Lewiston is owned by Mr. Baker and several others and this would form a connecting link for a through road from the main line of the B. & O. into Columbus.

Mr. Kinsman is the highest official in construction work on the B. & O. railroad, and upon his report probably depends the course which the B. & O. will pursue in taking hold of the property.

Although it may be some time before it can be learned what his report is and what action the railroad company will take, yet it will be received with great interest.

BABY'S FLANNELS.

Every mother is particular about her baby's clothes. She wants them clean and pure. To keep them so much washing is necessary. If ordinary yellow soap is used, the flannels soon become worthless. Easy Task Soap washes flannels of all kinds without injuring them in the least. It makes them look like new. Try a bar of it. Use it for washing and cleaning of all kinds. All grocers sell it for 5 cents a bar.

PUBLIC

Knows How to Appreciate a Good Thing.

Starting out in a modest way the Electro Plating Works on east High street have just begun to impress the public with the idea that the establishment is filling a long felt want. The firm, including A. C. Burton, J. E. Osman and W. J. Sly are doing a class of work superior in every way to that done by foreign electroplaters, and as every piece is triple plated they can offer an absolute guarantee of durability.

They have had a number of callers since they opened for business and while the visitors find the operation simple enough they are soon made aware that it takes the finest kind of workmanship to produce the best results. Several who sent a small lot just for trial have been so well pleased that large orders have followed and the works have not had an idle hour since operations began.

Triple plating in silver of a class of goods that hardly seemed worth the trouble, has converted old, and discarded ware into a condition as good as new, and at a much less expense than it would cost to replace it. It is also true in this sense of nickel plated trimmings on stoves, etc., the bright original polish being fully restored to its original splendor.

No enterprise deserves so well to succeed, and as the firm is composed of two of Lima's energetic citizens, they should be given the patronage that home trade deserves.

SUCCESSOR

Of the Late Dr. Carpenter is Appointed.

Columbus, Oct. 23.—The Columbus State Hospital trustees today elected Dr. George Stockton superintendent of that institution to fill the vacancy created by the death of Dr. E. G. Carpenter. Dr. Stockton was chief assistant physician at the institution.

Putting in Stoker.

The Central heating plant commenced this morning to put in their stoker into it. Rest church. The connections will be all made within a few days.

BISHOP POTTER

Will Deliver an Address at Episcopal Jubilee.

Germantown, Pa., Oct. 23.—Final arrangements have been perfected for the jubilee celebration of Christ Protestant Episcopal church and many prominent churchmen are here to take part. At the formal opening of the celebration tonight the address will be delivered by Bishop Henry C. Potter, of New York City.

RUNS AND SHIPMENTS.

Following are the oil runs and shipments reported for Oct. 20 and 21, respectively

National Transit Co.—	
Runs	21,028.12
Shipments	31,084.15
S. W. Penna. Pipe Lines—	
Runs	12,246.40
Shipments	3,358.26
Eureka P. L. Co.—	
Runs	45,221.55
Shipments	2,163.96
B. P. L. Co.—Macksburg oil.—	
Runs	15,590.78
Shipments	None.
B. P. L. Co. Lima oil.	
Runs	45,612.58
Shipments	45,688.95
Indiana P. L. Co.,—	
Runs	29,693.90
Shipments	23,794.91
N. Y. Transit Co.—	
Shipments	13,642.42
Southern P. L. Co.—	
Shipments	21,857.38
Crescent P. L. Co.—	
Shipments	27,548.44

You never know when women are having a good time; you never know when they have a headache.

We have noticed that when people have a great deal of company, they speak of it is "an awful lot."

Whenever the papers tell of a person sleeping himself to death, mothers look with home alarm at their boys.

If the proposed settlement of the strike fails, there is some fear that the shock may cause a relapse to that leg.

When a girl can afford to spend only a little on her Christmas gifts, she belongs to the 10-10-10 class.

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HON. C. W. BAKER

Delivers Address to Democrats

IN THE AUDITORIUM AT COLUMBUS.

Tuesday Evening, October 21.

My Fellow Citizens:

This government of ours is a government of and by the majority. What a majority of our people want and vote for, we have and get. At its last analysis that is what a republican form of government means.

The republicans have had unlimited and undisputed power in national affairs as in most of the states for the last two years. This is because the people voted so.

Today we are confronted with a crisis in our affairs that is accentuated by the fact that coal is thirty dollars a ton in New York and beef thirty cents a pound. Things have reached such a pass that in Eastern cities a coal famine is imminent, which means suffering and freezing for the poor while the high prices of not merely beef, but other necessaries in the shape of food products betoken suffering the coming winter such as our country never saw.

Senator Hanna says that Baer, President of the Reading Railroad, is a Democrat. I say he is not a Democrat, per mon like him, and if he is masquerading as one he is simply stealing the livery of heaven to serve the devil in.

Republican politicians are fond of talking about distress among the poor, and especially among the workingmen, during Grover Cleveland's last administration. There may have been some, I want to say, however, that all told, pay all times during those four years will not be a tithe of the dreadful suffering the coming winter foretodes.

The Democratic party for five years past more has been warning the people that there would presently come conditions precisely as are here now. That the acts and policy of the Republican party as dictated by its politicians would necessarily reach but one end. That end is here and we have the spectacle of a great army of miners and their families starving to death in the mountains of Pennsylvania, while it seems inevitable that many people will be freezing to death in many of the large cities with food supplies so costly as to be beyond the reach of your people save in the most insufficient quantities and at the most exorbitant price.

But the people have been voting for exactly the policies and the men to carry them out, that stand ultimately for the condition in which the country now finds itself. The burning question is, whether a further and continued support of such men and such measures is to be the verdict of the ballot box this fall. That rests entirely with your fellow citizens. The issue is perfectly plain. If present conditions are to be continued, then the voters will vote the Republican ticket. If not, then there must be a right about face, and there is no relief or salvation anywhere except in the support of Democratic policies and Democratic candidates.

Now, let us examine for a moment, the question as to where the responsibility for present conditions lies.

We have had five prosperous years for some people. The crops in America have been generous. Vast sums of gold the product of Alaskan mines, and of improved machinery employed in working at reduced cost the low grade ores and placer diggings in our gold and silver states, have given us volume of money.

There has been a long war in Africa that has drawn away from world competition, to a large extent, trade and manufactures, besides furnishing us with a great home market for food supplies, horses, mules and the products of the farm.

The Republican party can not say that it has not had every material advantage attending the trial of its theories and policies, and at a time, too, most favorable for promoting their successful operation and results. Yet today, after five years of Republican control under the most auspicious circumstances, we are confronted with distress and distrust, and with a sense of humiliation and injustice rankling and smarting in the hearts of all classes of our citizens.

The Republican party for five years has been declaring errors in all of their platforms, state and national. Why? Because they are only commercial polls and their platform declarations have been made for the purpose of aiding in securing such majorities. But, what vigorous efforts are them, will the Republicans make to carry out their promises?

Nothing. Why?

Because everybody knows the trusts have contributed the channels campaign funds to the Republican party to enable it to carry on successful campaigns, and this has enabled it to them office.

Denouncing the evil and hugging the evil doer and the beneficiary and doing nothing.

Such Republicans as there are are not bad people, they are good. He should get up a joint resolution on that question with President Roosevelt.

President Roosevelt says there are good and bad trusts. He goes on to say which are which. He says he wants more law. But they say they must have laws so exactly publicity and a constitutional amendment as well.

What they want of any more publicity or of a constitutional amendment I can not conceive. Nor are we told.

Any stockholder now can enforce, in any legal court even, his right to inspect a corporation's books and know all about its business, and we would all be crowned with white hair by the time a constitutional amendment would be adopted by a two-thirds vote of the Congress and ratified by three-fourths of the states.

Meanwhile the trusts would flourish, fresh prey, and remedies signify no remedy at all. What this plea really means is a plea for postponement—to put off, to delay, to procrastinate, to do nothing.

It is like the building of the Isthmian Canal. We have heard a lot about it for five years, and it is no nearer being started, even, than it was then. Many people have come to think that it never will be built so long as trans-continental railroads have their Senators sitting in the Senate, devising difficulties and plotting hindrances.

As has been repeatedly pointed out, there is law enough now—severe, emphatic, drastic, sufficient, if it were only enforced. Most of the states have laws like our own Valentine law in Ohio, which is a state supplement to the Sherman law—but who expects a Republican administration to enforce it? No stronger law could be penned and spread upon the Federal statute books than the Sherman law, which is both civil and criminal in its provisions and application. Why is it not enforced? Why are not both civil and criminal proceedings and prosecutions begun under it?

The Attorney General of the United States is charged with this most important duty. Why does he not do it?

The Attorney General of the United States left the employ of the steel trust as its counsel to become Attorney General. Does anybody expect or suppose for a moment that he is going to prosecute his former clients or trusts that are like thereunto? No. And no matter how gullible the public may be in the eyes of some, it will never believe that he will. Men do not gather grapes from thorns nor figs from thistles.

When Andrew Jackson had his fight with the United States Bank, he had a Secretary of the Treasury who stood in with the bank. What did Old Hickory do? He promptly removed his Secretary of the Treasury and appointed one who would fight.

You know the story in the back part of Webster's old spelling book. The farmer threw sod at the boys up his apple-tree when they would not come down. They laughed at him. Then he began to throw stones and bricks, and the boys came down in a hurry.

We Democrats say the Dingley protective tariff is the mother of trusts and the hedge behind which they hide. Senator Hanna says this is rot. Well, the Republican party in for a does not agree with Senator Hanna. Governor Cummins, of Iowa, and Senator Hanna had best have a joint debate on this subject.

The present Republican Speaker of the House declines to run again because his own state of Iowa has declared in favor of tariff reform—that's trite Democratic doctrine as the remedy for trust evils. The Speaker finds himself awry with his party and declines to stand for re-election because, to use his own paradoxical phrase, he abhors the trusts but loves the prohibitive tariff—that is to say, he loves the incubator while he hates the spawn.

It is sufficient to know that under the Dingley tariff the trust evil has grown like mushrooms—or rather like toadstools—and has come to fill the whole land with alarm.

Besides, Senator Hanna's testimony is not that of a disinterested witness. It reminds me of a story I heard about him the other day. Pat had not been long in this country. Though recently here, he had observed Senator Hanna's agility in attempting to ride two horses, capital and labor, in the ring of the political arena. Said Pat to his friend Mike: "Sinator Hanna runs both sides in this country. Both capital and labor are dependent upon Sinator Hanna."

"How's that?" said Mike.

"Why," said Pat, "Sinator Hanna sees to it that the rich gets ice in summer and the poor in winter."

Public opinion compelled the assulting of the meat combine in the Federal courts in Chicago a few months ago, but after a make-believe kind of hearing, an injunction was written up that even the attorney for the meat combine agreed should be entered by the Court—it meant so little. Thereupon the meat combine started in to make itself over into I suppose one of President Roosevelt's "good" trusts. Within a week the newspapers have announced that the taking of the inventory of the Swift meat shop has been stayed, because the meat packers have reached the conclusion that if they attract any more attention just now the tariff on meat cattle will be lowered or taken off altogether, and their enormous profits will be gone.

President Roosevelt fell into the error the other day at Logansport of saying that there was no duty on anthracite. Under the McKinley tariff there was none. Under the Dingley tariff, put there by a legislative trick, first appearing in the free list, but by another paragraph cunningly stowed away further along in the schedule, there is practically a prohibitive tariff on anthracite coal. Who do you suppose tucked it away so that it would take a Treasury lawyer to find it? And why? Think you there was no purpose in it?

In response to all of this, the truth of which nobody disputes or doubts, the people have listened to some platitudes upon the subject of character and patience, while a Republican Senator from Indiana has announced his cure to be to wait until there is a "moral uplifting of the people." Why is it such Senators never say anything about the "moral uplifting" of men who make and control the trusts and want tariff laws made for their particular benefit?

We have just had another object lesson in Ohio, in the re-presentation of the streets of Cincinnati by a Republican legislature to a company of Philadelphia capitalists, presenting them with a franchise worth millions to collect a five-cent street car fare for forty-five years. Why is it that all this kind of legislation can be obtained only from Republican legislatures?

Why is it that no one thinks of securing privileged and special legislation from a Democratic legislature? Why is it that prohibitive tariffs are enacted by only Republican Congresses? Why is it that a ship subsidy bill can be thought possible of passage only when a Republican Congress and President are in control at Washington? Why is it that only millionaires can be elected to the United States Senate?

Will some-body kindly speak up and tell me the reason?

I have read President Roosevelt's exhortation touching character and its growth that it is indeed the strength of the nation. But what has he to say of the sort of character the youth of this country are likely to form as they see a few rich, powerful, influential men controlling legislation in Congress and in state legislatures to make themselves rich at the expense of their fellow-citizens; procuring the enactment of tariff schedules by corrupting Congressmen and compelling people to pay tribute to them with prodigal hand?

What sort of character does he think is likely to be formed by our rising youth as they see trust and franchise magnates dictating laws, subsidizing Congress, electing Presidents, dictating the appointment of judges and the election of Senators, all that they may the more easily evade the law and by unlawful combinations fool the people and amass enormous personal wealth?

Or when they see great states controlled and dominated by political bosses of the character and stripe of Platt and Quay, and our own great cities subject to the absolute domination of unworthy men who have grown rich from civic spoils? Look at Philadelphia and Cincinnati. They talk about Tammany Hall, New York. I want to say that the Tammany ring in New York is a tame little pussy-cat compared with the Republican Tammany rule that has Cincinnati by the throat.

The hope of the Republic rests upon the idea of political equality before the law, that the rich and the strong shall obey it as well as the weak and the poor; that the rich and the strong shall have no advantage under the law and in the making of laws denied the weak and the poor; that the burdens of government and of taxation shall be equally distributed and rest upon each alike without advantage the one above or before the other; that no legislation shall give an advantage to the few at the expense of the many.

Listen to the conclusion of the whole matter. It is that every man, woman and child in this broad land shall stand upright, each clothed with equal rights, in the presence of and alike yielding allegiance and obedience to the majesty of justice and of a just government. This was the comfort and the inspiration of our forefathers, and it rests with us to say whether such a government shall endure.

TO TEACH FIRE FIGHTING

Kansas City Expert Asked to Instruct English Firemen.

George C. Hale, former chief of the Kansas City fire department, has received a letter from London asking him to visit that city with a view of giving his advice and suggestions in the reorganization of the English fire fighting service, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer. The letter came from Horace Faulkener, secretary of the British Fire Brigades union. Chief Hale has consented and is to discuss the subject further with a committee of English fire officials whom he is to meet in New York.

Early last spring fifteen girls lost their lives in a two story building through the slowness of the London

GEORGE C. HALE.

fire department. The London papers took the matter up and drew a comparison between the work of the London firemen and the methods of the Kansas City firemen, who gave an exhibition under Chief Hale at the Crystal Palace. Chief Hale has twice taken a Kansas City fire team to Europe in competition with the best departments in the world and each time returned victorious. Hale was ousted as chief of the Kansas City department a few months ago on account of his politics.

CHARMED WITH ALFONSO.

American Woman Fought the Battle of Flowers With Spain's King.

From an American woman has come a warm defense of Alfonso XIII., the young king of Spain, says the New York Press. Miss Agnes B. Wilson of Manhattan, who returned to New York on the Teutonic the other day, was at the flower festival in Madrid and was presented to the boy king. "These stories about the young king's eccentricities," said Miss Wilson, "are not true. He is a very sensible young fellow and perfectly charming. At the flower festival it is the custom of the people to throw bouquets at each other. I threw four at the king, and he threw the same number at me. I have them in my trunk as keepsakes and treasure them highly. I again met the king at a royal garden party. I was with a party of Spanish people, and our carriage stopped in front of the royal box. Although a boy, the king shows great dignity in public, but at the flower festival this was all abandoned, and he was a child again.

"One morning the king arose at 6 o'clock and surprised his soldiers by ordering out the guard. He was much incensed at finding a lack of military order at this early hour and warned the officers that they would have to be more strict in the future. The king is as bright a boy as I have ever seen, and there is no truth in the stories that he has a weak mind or treats his mother cruelly.

"In Spain he is held up to all boys as the example of what a lad should be to his mother. Time and again I saw the queen mother and her royal son together. His manner toward her was charmingly gallant. He seemed a thousand times more anxious that honor and recognition should be paid to his mother than to himself.

"And he is fully sensitive to their affection, for when the cheers would ring wildest there would often come a moisture in the boy king's eyes as he bowed. If ever a human being's eyes said anything, his said that he meant to be a good king to his people."

JEWS IN PALESTINE.

Zangwill Says Its Restoration Would Fulfill Christ's Mission.

Apropos of the British agitation for the purchase of the Holy Land by the Christians of the world, Israel Zangwill, the well known novelist of the Ghetto, writes as follows, according to a special cablegram from London to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

"If Christians would buy Palestine and turn it over to the Jews, then this latest crusade would atone for all the others, which were invariably accompanied by a massacre of the Jews. As the Jews would undertake to place a guard of honor around the tomb of Christ, the ironies of history would be satisfied in their case too. For the first time in history Christ would achieve his mission of peace and reconciliation."

In one of the London papers a writer signing himself "Christian" warns those who are agitating for the purchase of Palestine that they are espousing a hopeless cause, "because Jehovah has forbidden and will prevent such a transaction."

Bee Signs Indicate a Severe Winter. A long, cold winter is at hand, according to the beekeepers. They are positive of it because the astute provider for the months ahead is putting away stores upon stores of honey in the food bunks and totally ignoring the surplus below above, says the Denver Times. The honey crop this year, all through Colorado especially, is very light.

The only Cereal Coffee made from nature's own product—California figs, prunes and grain—absolutely free from artificial matter is

FIGPRUNE Cereal

It is the ideal food drink for children because the strength and health giving properties of the grain and fruit are in a state of solution and are therefore quickly absorbed.

Ask Your Grocer for a Sample.

Boil 5 to 10 Minutes.

NEW SLOOP

To be Built to Defend America's Cup

Will be Managed by C. Oliver Iselin of Columbia and Vigilant Fame.

New York, Oct. 23.—C. Oliver Iselin will be managing owner of the new sloop which will be built to defend America's cup. It is learned definitely that Mr. Iselin has given his consent to take charge of the new boat and take active participation in international yacht races. Mr. Iselin was in full control of the Vigilant that defeated the Valkyrie II and also the Columbia, winner over Shamrock I.

While there is Life There is Hope.

I was afflicted with catarrh; could neither taste nor smell and could hear but little. Ely's Cream Balm cured it.—Marcus G. Shautz, Rahway, N. J.

Cream Balm reached me safely and the effect is surprising. My son says first application gave decided relief. Respectfully, Mrs. Franklin Freeman, Dover, N. H.

The Balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 50c or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street New York.

HOME-SEEKERS' EXCURSIONS

Via Pennsylvania Lines.

Low rate Home-Seekers' excursion tickets to points in west, northwest and southwest will be sold via Pennsylvania lines. Particular information about fares, time of trains and other details will be furnished upon application to passenger and ticket agents of the Pennsylvania lines. tt

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

INDIANAPOLIS AND RETURN

Via Lake Erie & Western R. R., $1.25 for round trip, Sunday, October 28th. Train leaves Wayne street station at 1:40 a. m., returning, leave Indianapolis at 8:00 p. m.

4-7t W. F. CARTER, T. P. A.

A DOZEN TIMES A NIGHT.

Mr. Owen Dunn, of Benton Ferry, W. Va., writes: "I have had kidney and bladder trouble for years, and it became so bad that I was obliged to get up at least a dozen times a night. I never received any permanent benefit from any medicine until I tried Foley's Kidney Cure. After using two bottles, I am cured."

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

FESTIVITIES

Replaced by Numerous Messages and Presents.

Berlin, Oct. 23.—Yesterday was the birthday of Empress Augusta Victoria, and flags were displayed on all public and many private buildings. No court festivities were held in observance but her majesty was the recipient of numerous costly presents and congratulatory messages from the various courts of Europe.

Gained Forty Pounds in Thirty Days.

For several months our younger brother had been troubled with indigestion. He tried several remedies but got no benefit from them. We purchased some of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and he commenced taking them. Inside of thirty days he had gained forty pounds in flesh. He is now fully recovered. We have a good trade on the Tablets. —Holley Bros., Merchants, Long Branch, Mo. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

The great trouble with bringing up children properly is that their fathers speak too hard, and their mothers don't speak hard enough.

OPERATION

Performed Upon Al. G. Field, the Minstrel,

Who was Injured a Couple of Weeks Ago While Filling an Engagement at Jacksonville.

Columbus friends of Al. G. Field, the man of minstrel fame, have received word from Mobile, Ala., that he had been compelled to undergo an operation in a hospital there. He was slightly injured at Jacksonville, Fla., October 2, and an abscess formed as a result, and this was removed by the surgeons.

Governor Nash has declined to grant a pardon to R. M. Kricker, the convicted clerk of Portsmouth. It was asked on the ground that he was suffering with locomotor ataxia. The governor doubts it. He took $582 which has been returned with interest, and is serving a two years term.

Director of Public Safety Philbrick made a wholesale suspension of city firemen late Monday night, thirty of the most experienced firemen being suspended on the plea that there was not sufficient funds in the treasury to pay the department. As a result the city is now without adequate fire protection, at some houses there being no drivers, and others no engineer, and at the headquarters house but one man to manage the water tower. Impeachment proceedings are threatened.

OUT OF SORTS

Work a Task—Nerves All Gone—Generally Weak—Easily Tired—Read the Following—Know the Remedy.

Mrs. Mary Lynch, of 748 Union street, Lima, Ohio, says: "Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills are number one. They build you up all over—give people of weak nerves, steadiness and strength—good sleep and general vigor and tone. This is the result one of my family got from a box purchased at Melville's drug store. They cannot be beat as a tonic that's one thing sure."

Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills are sold at 50c a box at dealers or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. See that portrait and signature of A. W. Chase M. D. are on every package.

NOTHING IN IT.

Report of Intended Harm to Loubet, is False.

Paris, Oct. 23.—The police today admit that a man was caught yesterday while attempting to scale the Elysee palace wall, but say that the report that he intended to harm President Loubet, has been proved unfounded. The man is Edward Lebistonet, 30 years old, and a railway employe.

BRONCHITIS FOR TWENTY YEARS

Mrs. Minerva Smith, of Danville, Ill., writes: "I had bronchitis for twenty years and never got relief until I used Foley's Honey and Tar which is a sure cure."

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

GROOM-TO-BE

Is Arrested Charged With Murdering a Friend.

Painesville, O., Oct. 23.—Isaac Turli was arrested last night, charged with the murder of Mike Polassi, his room mate, whose body was found in a cornfield. Turli was to have been married today.

Do Good—It Pays.

A Chicago man has observed that, "Good deeds are better than real estate deeds—some of the latter are worthless. Act kindly and gently, show sympathy and lend a helping hand. You cannot possibly lose by it." Most men appreciate a kind word and encouragement more than substantial help. There are persons in this community who might truthfully say: "My good friend, cheer up. A few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will rid you of your cold, and there is no danger whatever from pneumonia when you use that medicine. It always cures. I know it for it has helped me out many a time." Sold by Wm. M. Melville, old post-office corner.

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Cleans bath tubs perfectly.

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To come to our office, where we will explain our method of curing those diseases. We invite in particular all who have become dissatisfied with treatment elsewhere. We will explain why you have not been cured, and will demonstrate to your entire satisfaction why we can cure you quickly, safely and permanently.

Our counsel costs you nothing, and our charges for a perfect cure will be reasonable and not more than you will be willing to pay for the benefit conferred.

CERTAINTY OF CURE

is what you want. Reference—Banks and best business and professional men in the city. We can and will cite you, by permission, to numberless cases that we have treated and cured to stay cured, which had been abandoned by family physicians and so-called experts. What we have done for others we can do for you. Delay is fatal; consult us at once.

We Treat and Cure Nervous Debility, Nervous Prostration, Mental Depression, Impotence, Sexual Weakness, Scrofula, Tumors, Rheumatism, Syphilis, Hydrocele, Varicocele, Stricture, Pimples, Catarrh, Bronchitis, Loss of Appetite, Liver and Kidney Troubles, Constipation, White Swelling, Varicose Veins, etc.

Ladies All diseases peculiar to your sex successfully treated. You may consult us in confidence, no matter what the trouble may be.

Young Men Who suffer from fearful effects of self abuse as to aversion to the society of ladies, despondency, loss of energy, failing memory, nervousness, palpitation of the heart, weak back, stunted development, increasing nervous exhaustion and wrecked or lascivious dreams. You may be in the first stage, but are fast approaching the last. Do not let false pride or sham modesty prevent you from obtaining relief now.

Middle Aged Men Who suffer from prematurely old, as a result of youthful indiscretions or excess of latter years: who are troubled with too frequent evacuations of the bladder, or by finding a milky or ropy sediment in the urine, and on account of this natural waste and loss of vitality are unfit for business or marriage. You can positively be restored to manly vigor.

Old Men Who, as a result of overwork, business cares, or imprudence in former years, now suffer from partial or complete impotency, or some distressing bladder trouble. All may find immediate relief—many may be radically cured.

Rupture Cured No danger, no pain, no detention from your daily business.

Gonnorhea Cured In five days by our new method. No danger of stricture, no injection used.

Syphilis We can cure Syphilis no matter how long standing.

Stricture We have the only remedy and method by which stricture can be cured.

Inflammation Of Prostate and Bladder, Gleet, etc., instantly relieved and permanently cured.

Varicocele Cured forever in five days by your special treatment. No detention from your daily work.

WRITE (If you can not possibly call at our office) stating in full your condition and receive our opinion and advice by return mail. All business strictly confidential.

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EAST BOUND.

Pittsburg special, daily......12:46 am
Eastern express, daily......7:34 am
Crestline accommodation, daily except Sunday......9:05 am
To Alliance, daily except Sunday......2:50 pm
New York Express, daily......5:57 pm
Day Express, daily......9:30 pm
Limited Express, daily......10:49 pm

WEST BOUND.

Chicago and west daily......1:53 am
Limited Express, daily......8:30 am
Chicago Express, daily......8:46 am
Chicago and west, daily except Sunday......9:50 am
Chicago and west, daily......2:27 pm
Ft. Wayne accommodation daily except Sunday......5:20 pm

ERIE RAILROAD

... In effect Sept. 21, 1902 from Lima, Ohio

TRAINS WEST. DEPART.

Vestibule limited daily for Chicago and the West......11:38 am
Pacific Express, daily for Chicago and the West......1:08 am
Express daily except Sunday for Huntington and the West......6:08 pm
Wells Fargo limited Express daily except Monday......3:57 pm
Local Freight arrives......11:38 am

TRAINS EAST.

Vestibule limited, daily for New York and Boston......4:33 pm
Express daily except Sunday......8:21 am
Express daily for New York......3:46 am
... except Sunday......9:32 pm
... freight for Marion......12:20 pm
... will not run on days following Sundays. F. C. McCOY, Agent.
... Morrison, Trav. Pass. Agent, Marion, Ohio.

L. E. & W.

EAST BOUND. DEPART.

Eastern Express, daily......5:55 pm
N. Y. and Boston Limited, except Sunday......1:31 pm
Cleveland and Buffalo Fast Mail, except Sunday......8:15 am

WEST BOUND. DEPART.

N. Y., Kansas City and Denver Limited, daily......9:49 am
Lima and St. Louis Express, except Sunday......4:15 am
N. Y., Cleveland and Indianapolis Express, ex. Sunday......4:22 pm
Cleveland and Lima Special arrives except Sunday......8:20 pm

Trains No. 2 and 4 run in connection with the N. Y. C. & St. L. "fast flyers," the most magnificently appointed trains in the world, to Cleveland, Buffalo, New York, Boston, Montreal and all eastern cities. Trains No. 1 and 3 make close connection at Bloomington and Peoria with through trains for all points in the West, North and Southwest. Trains No. 1 and 2 have modern, up-to-date parlor and dining service.

DETROIT SOUTHERN.

Time of trains passing Lima, Ohio.

SOUTH BOUND.

1......3:15 p. m.
3......6:00 a. m.

NORTH BOUND.

2......10:56 a. m.
4 Arrives......8:35 p. m.

All trains daily except Sunday, except on Southern divisions, Nos. 1 and 2 run between Lima and Bainbridge.

Train No. 1 leaves Fort street Union station, Detroit at 8:35 a. m., Adrian 11:08, Napoleon 12:30 p. m., Hamler 12:54, Leipsic 1:16 p. m., Ottawa 1:29 p. m., Lima 1:57 p. m., Uniopolis 2:48 p. m., Jackson Center 3:03 p. m., Quincy 3:39, St. Paul 3:56 p. m., Springfield 4:56, arrives at Bainbridge 7:15 p. m.

Train No. 3 leaves Lima 6:00 a. m., Uniopolis 6:38 a. m., Jackson Center 6:58, St. Paul 7:41 a. m., Springfield 8:35, Washington C. H. 9:40 a. m., Gallipolis 10:37 a. m., arrive at Jackson 12:35.

Train No. 2 leaves Bainbridge 6:00 a. m., Springfield 8:35 a. m., St. Paris 9:15 a. m., Jackson Center 10:08 a. m., Uniopolis 10:20, Cairo 11:18 a. m., Ottawa 11:37, Leipsic 11:48 a. m., Napoleon 12:30 p. m., Adrian 3:05 p. m., arrive at Detroit ... p. m.

Train No. 4 leaves Jackson 1:16 p. m., Bainbridge 3:10 p. m., Washington C. H. ... p. m., South Charleston ... p. m., Springfield ... p. m., Tuckery ... p. m., St. Paris 6:48 p. m., Jackson Center 7:30, St. Johns 7:49 p. m., arrives at Lima ... p. m.

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For further information or descriptive matter call on nearest agent or address GEORGE W. BENTY, G. P. A., Detroit, Mich.

C. H. & D. RAILROAD.

South Bound.

No. 7. Daily, leaves......3:10 a.m.
No. 11. " ex. Sunday, leaves 5:30 a.m.
No. 1. " ex. Sunday leaves 8:55 a.m.
No. 5. " leaves......12:41 p.m.
No. 3. " leaves......4:10 p.m.
No. 9. " leaves......6:10 p.m.
No. 13. " Except Sunday......9:35 p.m
No. 65. " Sunday only l'ves 6:50 p.m.

North Bound.

No. 12. Daily, leaves......3:35 a.m.
No. 14. " leaves ex. Sunday......5:30 a.m.
No. 2. " ex. Sunday, leaves 8:06 a.m.
No. 6. " leaves......11:57 a.m.
No. 4. " ex. Sunday leaves 4:25 p.m.
No. 8. " leaves......6:06 p.m.
No. 10. " ex. Sunday arr. only 9:30 p.m.
No. 60. Sunday only leaves. 7:42 a.m.
No. 65. Sunday only arr. only 9:55 p.m.

COLUMBUS SHORT LINE.

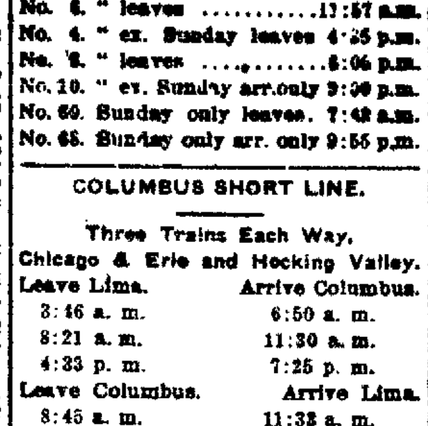
Three Trains Each Way.

Chicago & Erie and Hocking Valley.

Leave Lima.	Arrive Columbus.
3:46 a. m.	6:50 a. m.
8:21 a. m.	11:30 a. m.
4:33 p. m.	7:25 p. m.
Leave Columbus.	Arrive Lima.
8:45 a. m.	11:38 a. m.
3:00 p. m.	6:08 p. m.
10:00 p. m.	1:08 a. m.

Erie trains 22 and 21 permit 3 hours and thirty minutes time at Columbus, arriving at Lima in time for supper.

F. C. McCOY, Agent.



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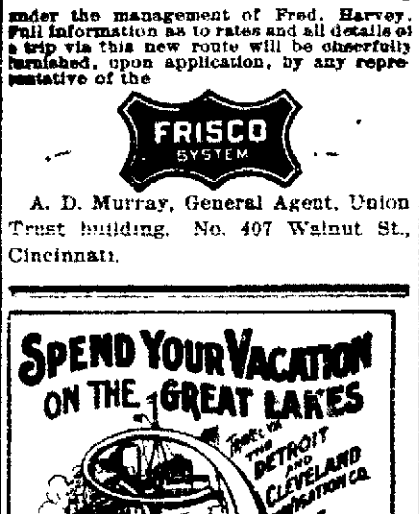

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Day Trips between Detroit and Cleveland during July and August.

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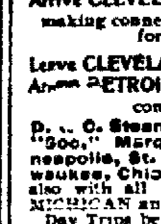

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GEN. MILES

And Party Have Numerous Troubles.

First the Grizzled Old Warrior is Robbed,

Then Mrs. Miles' Maid Forgets to Take the Right Steamer. In the Meantime the Party Has Been Maidless.

Honolulu, Oct. 16, via San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 23.—A serious of mishaps befell General Miles and his party during their stay here. In addition to the general being robbed, Mrs. Miles will be compelled to do without her maid on the voyage between Honolulu and Manila and until the steamer following the one on which the Miles party sailed, reaches the Philippine metropolis. The maid missed the boat.

His Life in Peril.

I just seemed to have gone all to pieces," writes Alfred Bee, of Welfare, Tex., "biliousness and a lame back had made life a burden. I couldn't eat or sleep and felt almost too worn out to work when I began to use Electric Bitters, but they worked wonders. Now I sleep like a top, can eat anything, have gained in strength and enjoy hard work." They give vigorous health and new life to weak, sickly, run-down people. Try them. Only 50c at H. F. Vortkamp's, cor. Main and North streets.

PRICE BILL

Given Knock Out by Railroad Lobbyists.

Suffered Defeat Yesterday at the Hands of the Republican Legislature.

Columbus O., Oct. 23.—Lieut Gov Gordon has signed the code and the legislative work on it is complete. The Price bill, to allow mining companies to build railways to connect them with existing railways, was killed. The railroad lobbyists held a jubilee in consequence. The bill would have prevented railways from discriminating in favor of their own mines, by refusing to build switches to other mines.

DANGER IN FALL COLDS.

Fall colds are liable to hang on all winter leaving the seeds of pneumonia, bronchitis or consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar cures quickly and prevents serious results. It is old and reliable, tried and tested, safe and sure. Contains no opiates and will not constipate.

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

BIPPUS FOLKS

Have Their Post Office Safe Blown Open.

Robbers Try the Same Game at Martins Ferry But Police Interfere.

Huntington, Ind., Oct. 23.—Burglars looted the Bippus post office in this county early yesterday morning. The safe was blown open and $300 stolen, $70 of which was in stamps.

ANOTHER ATTEMPT

At Martins Ferry But Not Quite so Successful.

Bridgeport, O., Oct. 23.—Burglars blew open the safe in the Martins Ferry post office Wednesday at 3 o'clock and were ready to carry off the contents, $800, when the police arrived. They escaped with $40 worth of stamps.

SPENT MORE THAN $1,000.

W. W. Baker, of Plainview, Neb., writes: "My wife suffered from lung trouble for fifteen years. She tried a number of doctors and spent over $1,000 without relief. She became very low and lost all hope. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar and thanks to this great remedy it saved her life. She enjoys better health than she has known in ten years." Refuse substitutes.

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

Some importance is attached to it through life, that there is some wonder the words, "Good Provider," don't appear on tombstones.

NEVER ASK ADVISE.

When you have a cough or cold don't ask what is good for it and get some medicine with little or no merit and perhaps dangerous. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar, the greatest throat and lung remedy, it cures coughs and colds quickly.

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REJECTED

Proposition Between Uncle Sam and Denmark.

London, Oct. 23.—A Copenhagen dispatch states that the landsthing today rejected the second reading of the bill providing for the ratification of a treaty between the United States and Denmark which provides for the cession of the Danish West Indies to the United States. The vote was a tie, 32 to 32. Popular demonstration followed the announcement of the vote.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

VOTE OF THANKS

For Killing Two Burglars and Wounding One.

Lorain, Oct. 23—The county commissioners today officially extended a vote of thanks to Jarvis Meach for killing two and wounding a third burglar, "for defending his rights and the rights of others and speaking out against robbery with a shot gun."

Ran a Ten Penny Nail Through His Hand.

While opening a box, J. C. Mount, of Three Mile Bay, N. Y., ran a ten penny nail through the fleshy part of his hand. "I thought at once of all the pain and soreness this would cause me," he says, "and immediately applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and occasionally afterwards. To my surprise it removed all pain and soreness and the injured parts were soon healed." For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

Whenever we see a girl with a Janice Meredith curl, we long to be a boy again, so that we can give it a pull, and find if it comes out.

"WATCH THE KIDNEYS"

"When they are affected, life is in danger," says Dr. Abernethy, the great English physician. Foley's Kidney Cure makes sound kidneys.

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

M. S. Bowser, Plaintiff,
vs.
William Roof, Defendant.
In the Court of Common Pleas
State of Ohio, Allen county, ss:

The defendant William Roof, residing in the town of Anderson, state of Indiana will take notice that said plaintiff on the

13TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1902,

commenced an action in attachment before William E. Reilly justice of the peace of Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio for the sum of forty-six dollars and fifty ($46.50) cents with interest from March 19th 1899, on an account for medical services rendered by plaintiff for defendant; and there being no personal property of the defendant within said county, the proceedings and papers were certified by said justice of the peace to the clerk of the court of common pleas of said county, as provided for by section 6514 of the revised statutes of Ohio. On the 15th day of August 1902, said plaintiff filed his petition in said court and procured an attachment to be levied on lot number 1362, in Standiford's addition to the city of Lima, Ohio; the defendant will be required to answer said petition by the 25th day of October, 1902.

M. S. BOWSER,
By Becker & Becker his attorneys.

AN ORDINANCE.

TO ESTABLISH A GRADE ON SPRING AVENUE, FROM JACKSON STREET TO JEFFERSON STREET

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows:

Sec 1. That the center line grade of Spring avenue from Jackson street to Jefferson street, be, and the same is hereby established as follows.

At the east line of Jackson street, one hundred and forty (140) feet above datum line.

At the west line of Jefferson street, one hundred and forty-one and seventy-five hundredths (141 75) feet above datum line.

Sec 2. That the curb line grade of said street between said points be, and the same hereby is made the same as the center line grade of said street as fixed by Sec. 1, above, and the same to be four (4) feet from the lot or property line.

Sec. 3. That the sidewalks be three and one-half (3½) feet wide from the face of the curb line, and that the distance between curb on said street be seventeen (17) feet.

Sec. 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest time allowed by law.

ED. S. MOSES,
President pro tem of the Council.
FRED C. BEAM, City Clerk.
Passed Oct. 20, 1902. oct22-23

AN ORDINANCE.

MAKING IT UNLAWFUL TO SEND IN A FALSE FIRE ALARM, AND PROVIDING A PENALTY THEREFOR.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows:

Sec. 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons within the incorporate limits of the city of Lima, Ohio, to handle, meddle with, operate or attempt to operate any box alarm call or other contrivance constituting a part of the Fire Alarm System of the city of Lima, Ohio, except in the case of an actual fire or other circumstance requiring the services of the fire department; and it is further hereby declared to be unlawful within the incorporate limits of the city of Lima, Ohio, for any person or persons to willfully, wantonly or knowingly send in, or cause to be sent in to the fire department of the city of Lima, Ohio, by any means whatever, any false alarm of fire.

Sec. 2. That any person or persons violating any of the provisions of Section one foregoing, are hereby declared to be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding one hundred dollars ($100.00) and not less than five dolars ($5.00); and may be imprisoned not to exceed sixty (60) days and not less than three (3) days.

Sec. 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after earliest time allowed by law.

ED. S. MOSES,
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A RESOLUTION:

DECLARING IT NECESSARY TO IMPROVE ELM STREET FROM PINE STREET TO CENTRAL AVENUE, BY GRADING THE SAME TO THE ESTABLISHED GRADE.

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, two-thirds of all the members elected thereto concurring therein, as follows:

Sec. 1. That it is necessary to improve Elm street in said city from Pine street to Central avenue, by grading the same to the established grade.

Sec 2. That such grading shall be done in all respects in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications therefore, now on file in the office of the city civil engineer.

Sec. 3. That the cost and expense of such grading shall be assessed per front foot, upon the several lots and tracts of land abutting upon said street between said points, and such assessments shall be made at such times as may be hereafter determined and fixed by an assessing ordinance.

Sec. 4 That W. G Ferguson be and he hereby is appointed to serve notice of the adoption of this resolution, upon the owner or owners of each separate lot and tract of land, abutting upon said avenue between said points, who are residents of Allen county, in the manner prescribed by law.

ED. S. MOSES.
President pro tem of the Council.
FRED C. BEAM, City Clerk.
Adopted Oct. 20, 1902.
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AN ORDINANCE.

TO PREVENT THE HAULING OF DEAD ANIMALS THROUGH THE CORPORATIONS WITHIN CERTAIN HOURS.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows:

Sec. 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person, persons or corporation to haul or otherwise convey the carcass of any dead animal into, across or through the City of Lima, Ohio, either from a point without the corporation to a point or place within the corporation, or from a point without the corporation to any other place by passing through or within the corporation of the City of Lima Ohio, except between the hours of 11 o'clock p m., and 5 o'clock a m., provided that nothing herein shall be intended to prevent the removal, at any time of any animal that may have died at any point within the incorporated limits of said City.

Sec. 2. That any person, persons or corporation violating any of the provisions of Section One hereof shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not to exceed Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) and not less than Five Dollars ($5.00).

Sec 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest time allowed by law

ED. S. MOSES.
President pro tem of the Council.
FRED C. BEAM, City Clerk.
Passed Oct. 20, 1902. oct-22 23

AN ORDINANCE.

VACATING A CERTAIN PUBLIC ALLEY HEREINAFTER SPECIFICALLY DESCRIBED.

That Whereas, on the 8th day of September, A. D., 1902, a petition was presented to the Council of the City of Lima for the vacation of an alley described as:

Beginning on the north line of the old Lima and Delphos road, thence running north to the north line of lot number Two Hundred and Fifty-four (254) and being sixteen and one-half (16½) feet wide and lying between town alley and lot number Two Hundred and Fifty-four, (254).

That notice of the pendency and prayer of which has been given as required by law.

And Whereas, upon the hearing the Council is satisfied there is just cause for such vacation and that same would not be detrimental to the general interests, and should be made.

Therefore, Be it Ordained, by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio that said alley described as:

Beginning on the north line of the old Lima and Delphos road, thence running north to the north line of lot number Two Hundred and Fifty-four (254) and being sixteen and one half (16½) feet wide and lying between town alley and lot number Two Hundred and fifty-four (254) be and the same is hereby vacated and this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication according to law.

ED. S. MOSES,
President pro tem of the Council.
FRED C. BEAM, City Clerk.
Passed Oct. 20, 1902. Oct-22-23.

AN ORDINANCE.

TO ESTABLISH A GRADE ON THE SEVERAL STREETS AND AVENUES IN THE PARK, LAKEWOOD AND CONDERMAN ADDITIONS TO THE CITY OF LIMA, OHIO.

Be it established by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows:

Section 1. That the street grades for the several streets and avenues in the Park, Lakewood and Conderman Additions to the City of Lima, Ohio, separately and specifically enumerated in the attached report of the City Civil Engineer, be, and the same hereby is established as follows:

Streets	Feet above datum line
McDonel street and Elm street	See Elm Street.
McDonel street and Faurot avenue	114.20
McDonel street and Eureka & Shore Drive	107.40
Atlantic avenue and Elm street	128.00
Atlantic avenue and Faurot avenue	117.00
Atlantic avenue and Eureka street	110.00
Atlantic avenue and Shore Drive	105.50
Metcalf street and Elm street	130.60
Metcalf street and Faurot avenue	119.00
Metcalf street and Eureka street	112.00
Metcalf street and Shore Drive	107.30
Nye street and Elm street	128.40
Nye street and Faurot avenue	123.00
Nye street and Eureka street	114.00
Nye street and Shore Drive	106.00
Baxter street and Elm street	124.50
Baxter street and Faurot avenue	120.00
Baxter street and Eureka street	117.00
Baxter street and Shore Drive	104.50
Collett street and Elm street	121.08
Collett street and Faurot avenue	123.00
Collett street and Eureka street	110.00
Collett street and River street	107.50
Collett street and Shore Drive	103.00
Garfield avenue and Elm street	127.60
Garfield avenue and Faurot avenue	130.00
Garfield avenue and State street	129.00
Charles street and Elm street	134.87
Charles street and State street	126.00
Charles street and Lakewood avenue	130.00
Jameson avenue and Elm street	140.60
Jameson avenue and State street	133.00
Jameson avenue and Lakewood avenue	136.00
Lincoln avenue and Elm street	143.90
Lincoln avenue and State street	141.00
Lincoln avenue and Lakewood avenue	138.50
Cole street and Elm street	147.00
Cole street and State street	150.00
200 feet south of State street	151.00
Cole street and Lakewood avenue	149.00
Franklin avenue and Elm street	143.00
Franklin avenue and State street	148.00
Franklin avenue and Lakewood avenue	148.00
Franklin avenue and Lakewood avenue	150.50
Washington avenue and Elm street	141.00
Washington avenue and State street	145.00
Washington avenue and Lakewood avenue	152.00
Woodlawn avenue and Elm street	142.90
Woodlawn avenue and State street	144.70
Woodlawn avenue and Lakewood avenue	147.20
State street and Woodlawn avenue	
State street and Washington avenue	145.00
State street and Franklin avenue	148.00
State street and Cole street	150.00
State street and Lincoln avenue	141.00
State street and Jameson avenue	133.00
State street and Charles street	126.00
State street and Garfield avenue	129.00
Lakewood avenue and Woodlawn avenue	147.20
Lakewood avenue and Washington avenue	152.00
Lakewood avenue and Franklin avenue	150.50
Lakewood avenue and Cole street	149.00
Lakewood avenue and Lincoln avenue	138.50
Lakewood avenue and Jameson avenue	136.00
Lakewood avenue and Charles street	130.00
Faurot avenue and Garfield avenue	130.00
Faurot avenue and Collett street	123.00
Faurot avenue, 200 feet west of Baxter street	116.50
Faurot avenue and Baxter street	120.00
Faurot avenue and Nye street	123.00
Faurot avenue and Metcalf street	119.00
Eureka street and Collett street	110.00
Eureka street and Baxter street	117.00
Eureka street and Nye street	114.00
Eureka street and Metcalf street	112.00
River street and Collett street	107.50
River street and Baxter street	104.50
Shore Drive and Collett street	103.00
Shore Drive and Baxter street	104.50
Shore Drive and Nye street	106.00
Shore Drive and Metcalf street	107.30
Shore Drive and Atlantic avenue	105.50
Shore Drive and McDonel street	107.40
Elm street and West street	122.00
Elm street and 275 feet west of West street	125.00
Elm street and Pierce street	123.60
Elm street and east line of McDonel street; N. E curb	120.94
Elm street and east line of McDonel street; center	120.57
Elm street and east line of McDonel street; S. E. curb	120.26
Elm street and west line of McDonel street; N. W. curb	121.73
Elm street and west line of McDonel street; center	121.28
Elm street and west line of McDonel street; S. W. curb	120.88
Elm street and Atlantic avenue	128.00
Elm street and Metcalf street	130.60
Elm street and Nye street	128.40
Elm street and Baxter street	124.50
Elm street and 280 feet west of center of Baxter street	117.60
Elm street and 330 feet west of center of Baxter street	116.75
Elm street and 380 feet west of center of Baxter street	117.90
Elm street and Collett street	121.08
Elm street and Garfield avenue	127.60
Elm street and Charles street	134.87
Elm street and Jameson avenue	140.60
Elm street and Lincoln avenue	143.70
Elm street and Cole street	147.00
Elm street and Franklin avenue	143.00
Elm street and Washington avenue	141.00
Elm street and Woodlawn avenue	142.90

Section 2. That the curb line of the several streets and avenues enumerated in Section 1 be, and the same is hereby fixed and made the same as the center line grade of said streets and avenues as fixed by Section 1, above.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication according to law.

EDWARD S. MOSES,
President pro tem of the Council.

FRED C. BEAM, City Clerk.
Passed October 20th, 1902.
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PROBATE NOTICE.

The following account has been filed in the office of the Probate Court of Allen county, Ohio, and will be for hearing Monday, November 17, A. D, 1902, at ten o'clock a. m.

First and final proposed dist. account of I. T. Miller, assignee of G. R. Plat and G. G. Bashore, insolvent.

A. D. MILLER,
Oct. 21, 1902, 3 wks. Probate Judge.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Michael J. Spellman, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Michael J. Spellman, late of Mexico, deceased.

Dated this 21st day of October, A. D. 1902.

DANIEL F. O'CONNOR,
6-3w Lima, Ohio.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of John Wheeler, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executrix of the estate of John Wheeler, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 7th day of October, A. D., 1902.

MILLERETTA WHEELER,
Executrix of the estate of John Wheeler, deceased. 7-3wks

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Wm. F. Baker deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administratrix of the estate of Wm F. Baker, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 8th day of October, A. D. 1902.

Oct16-3wk LEON L. BAKER.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of B. C. Faurot, Jr., deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of B C. Faurot, Jr., late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 11th day of October, A. D., 1902.

211-3w R. B. GARRETSON.

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NOT

Entitled to a Divorce

Is the Plea

Made by the Husband of Mrs. Wandell.

The Latter Secured a Decree Which Mr. Wandell Wants Set Aside.

Claims He was Prepared to Make a Defense Which Would Have Defeated His Wife's Desire.

Richard T. Wandell wants a decree of divorce which was granted to his wife, Emma Dietz Wandell, set aside, setting out in a motion filed this morning by Ridenour and Halfhill, that he was not permitted to make a defense in the case, which he was prepared to do. The motion informs the court that the defendant had not been notified of the hearing, and although no answer and cross petition had been filed, the plaintiff's attorneys had been notified that the application for a divorce would be defended.

Wandell says that the granting of a divorce on the 22nd of October, has done him an irreparable injury, and he desires an opportunity to submit evidence which would defeat the right of the plaintiff to have a decree of separation granted her.

His Pet Names.

It is evident that Maurice G. Mercier, who is made defendant in a petition for a divorce filed this morning by Amelia C. Mercier, was not a bit choice in the kind of language used in addressing his wife. According to the petition, he was in the habit of calling her by such pet names as "d—d old dough face," or "yellow face." It is also alleged that he used similar terms when abusing their child and did so in the presence of visitors. She says he told her relatives that she associated with women of ill repute who were nothing but a set of d—d hogs.

The defendant, in addition to cruelty, is charged with a failure to provide sufficient clothing or household necessities during the past three years, and has filthy habits. Mrs. Mercier claims the ownership of in-lot 3195 on the northeast corner of Vine street and Greenlawn avenue, and she wants him enjoined from interfereing in any way with the personal property. She asks for a divorce, alimony and custody of the child. Copeland & Rogers.

Decision Appealed From.

The attorneys representing the executors of the will of Jacob Wise, are not satisfied with the decision of Probate Judge Miller in opening the account, and have appealed the case to common pleas court, where the facts will be placed before Judge Cumming[illegible]. The executors are Albert J. Wise, a son, and Mrs. Helen Hulle, [illegible] MCMARTHAN, [illegible] the claim that the entries are not correct.

Not a Fair Trial.

The case of the Farmers' and Merchants bank of Jackson Center vs. J. W. Rush et al, is as far from settlement as ever, although it has been tried no less than four times. It came up again this week, but the defendants failed to appear, and the jury was instructed to bring in a verdict for the plaintiff.

Today West & West, of Bellefontaine, counsel for the defendants filed a motion asking that the verdict be set aside for the reason that they had no knowledge that the case had been assigned for trial on the date of its hearing. The motion will have to be argued before Judge Armstrong who directed the verdict.

In Probate Court.

The will of the late Frederick Pflum was probated today. He leaves all of his property to his wife unconditionally.

W. E. Crayton, executor of the will of the late John E. Loy, has filed a petition to sell real estate, the personalty not being sufficient to pay the costs of settlement. The property asked to be sold are inlots 5008 and 5007, in the J. R. Ashton addition, against which there is a claim for $371.

Marriage License.

Harry B. Kent, 22, electrician, of Alexandria, Minn., and Zella May Conrad, 21, of Lima.

Charles Henry Craigg, 22, broom maker, of Mercer county, and Lottie E. Hughes, 25, of Lima.

Harley J. Van Meter, 21, farmer, and Mary Mae Cupp, 21, both of Monroe township.

Real Estate Transfers.

E. E. McCullough to Wm. Elliker, inlot 1214 Jacobs addition to Lima, $1500.

Esther Gallaspie to Daniel M. Armentrout, thirteen acres of land in Bath township, $1.

F—i—s—h at Townsend's.

PASSED AWAY

Mrs. Bridget Burke Died Last Evening of Dropsy.

Mrs. Bridget Burke, wife of John Burke, of 324 Ewing avenue, died at 8 o'clock last evening, death resulting from dropsical trouble after an illness of two months duration. The deceased was born in Ireland and lived to the age of 56 years and 9 months. She is survived by her husband and two daughters.

It was originally intended that the remains of the deceased should be taken to Rhode Island for interment but on account of the illness of another member of the family it has been decided to bury the remains here. The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

TOWNSEND FISH.

White, Trout, Perch, Smelts, Pickeral, Bullheads, Herring, Standard and select oysters, Holland Herring. Fine Mackeral.

GUESS THIS

Will Hold Water Quite for a While

Was Released from Jail a Few Days Ago,

And was Arrested Last Night for Stealing a Draw Knife—Goes to the Work House for Thirty Days.

Willis Osman, a well known young man who has been a regular customer at the mayor's court bar of justice for several years, was arraigned before mayor Rogers again this morning and he received a dose that will keep him out of mayors court for at least thirty days.

Osman was released from the county jail only a few days ago, having escaped an indictment at the hands of the last grand jury and he could not keep out of trouble. He stole a draw knife, valued at $2.50, the property of C. J. Morgan, a carpenter, residing on west North street, and sold the implement to detective Ward for twenty cents. The theft and the theif were both discovered and the property was recovered. Osman was arraigned before the mayor and on entering a plea of guilty to the charge of petit larceny he was sentenced to serve a term of thirty days in the Toledo work house.

PHELAN

House at Delphos Has Changed Hands.

The Phelan House furniture and fixtures and the bar fixtures in the room north of the hotel office, were sold yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to Jacob Shaffer for $1,500, says the Delphos Herald.

Elmer Kettlewell, the auctioneer, stated before the sale opened that it would be necessary to start the bidding at $1,500. Mr. Shaffer at once started it off at that price but it went no higher and was knocked off to him. Mr. Shaffer will take charge of the property as soon as the sale is confirmed.

"SOO" CANAL

Opened Today With Fitting Ceremonies.

Sault Ste Marie, Oct. 23.—Today begins the four days celebration of the opening of the "Soo" water power plant canal which is the greatest enterprise of its kind in the world. In the canal are 320 turbine wheels which will develop 60,000 horsepower.

Chicago Stock Market.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 23.—Cattle 6,500, slow; hogs 18,000 steady; sheep 18,000, steady to 15 cents lower.

F—i—s—h at Townsend's.

SENIOR

Had a Jolly Evening of It.

Athletic Exercises and a Basket Ball Game Full of Excitement.

The senior class entertained a large number of spectators at the Y. M. C. A. last night, the early part of the evening being devoted to athletic events and winding up with a basket ball game in which the "Hooligan" and "Katzenjammer" families were represented. The players were attired in the laughable make-ups denoting the characters made famous by the Chicago American's humorous artists, and the antics of the players created lots of amusement.

In the potato race the contest narrowed down to Witmer, Shaw and Peate, Shaw winning in the finals. Shaw also proved to be the champion in the jumping and vaulting contest, clearing the rope at a running jump at 4 feet, 6 inches and vaulting 7 feet, 4 inches.

The business men's class has arranged for an entertainment next Wednesday evening, beginning at 8 o'clock, which will consist of drill work under the direction of physical director Shepard, boxing, fencing, wrestling and a basket ball game between two picked teams.

The business men's class is the largest in the history of the association and is still growing. Yesterday evening there were 34 present to take the physical exercise.

AIR LINE

From Lima to the City of Columbus

Col. Hobart Says the Road Will be.

The Chief Engineer of the C. L. & M. and His Corps of Assistants are Pushing Along the Line.

Those who have in charge the C. L. & M. railroad project are energetic in trying to push the survey along. The following article from the Waynesfield Chronicle indicates that the engineer corps is working its way along toward the state capital:

Col. Hobart and Attorney H. P. Williamson were in town Sunday. Mr. Hobart is the chief engineer of the C. L. & M. railroad and the property has been placed in his hands by the new owners.

Mr. Hobart did not care to talk very much as there had been plenty of talk by the other parties who have tried to build the road and it looks like he was going to do the work and let some one else talk. "What kind of a line are you running?" was asked by the pencilpusher, and he said "It will be an air line from Lima to Columbus, except for a swing of three miles in order to reach Waynesfield. From Waynesfield to Columbus it will be a straight line." In answer to the question, when will the grading be started, he said that it would take some time to finish the survey and that nothing would be done until March. "What do you expect in the way of aid?" "We do not expect a great deal. I expect to return in about ten days, at which time I will tell the people what we desire."

The line runs through the northeast part of town.

The engineer corps were stopped for a while when they reached John Winegardner's last Monday. Mr. Winegardner did not understand the situation and would not let them cross his farm. Attorney Williamson came out and explained the matter to him and the corps went to work again.

Engineer Gamble has run four surveys besides this one for this railroad. The surveys were made in the years '81, '86, '88 and '97. Mr. Gamble says that he is acquainted with nearly every foot of the way.

O—y—s—t—e—r—s at Townsend's.

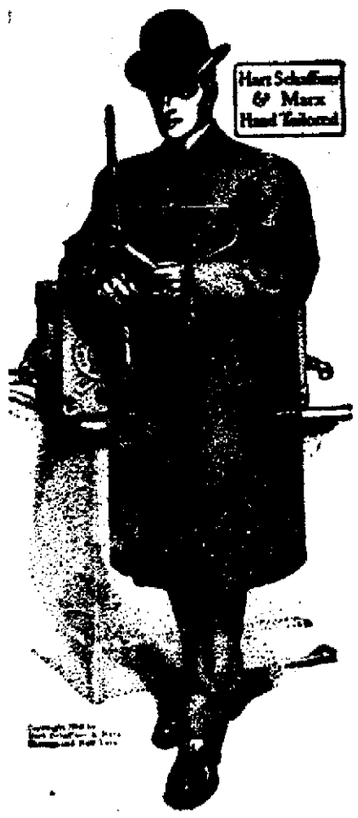
NIAGARA LAUNDRY.

The Niagara Laundry will be closed until noon tomorrow on account of the funeral of Mrs. George B. Frasch.

Dyspepsia—bane of human existence.. Burdock Blood Bitters cures it, promptly, permanently. Regulates and tones the stomach.

Whatever a dog does, he does openly; if he wants a sheep, he takes after it, and keeps going until somebody shoots at him.

Is it a burn? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. A cut? Use Thomas' Electric Oil. At your druggists.



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WHY NOT TODAY?

Why wouldn't today be a good time for you to drop in and select that WINTER SUIT and OVERCOAT you need?

Want something swell? Come, look at our lines at

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No risk of missing any new fashions if you buy your clothing here, because our styles are ahead even of the fashion plates.

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MORRIS BROS.,

217 North Main St., Lima, O.

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The excellent values in Autumn Dress Goods. Hosiery and Underwear buying in this store. The offerings of Ready-to-Wear Garments.

The Garment News.

Monte Carlo Coats.

The "Monte Carlo" is an easy first in the Jacket oufit of this season. Nobby garments, finely tailored and modestly priced.

Monte Carlo Coats at $10.00, $11.50 and $14.00.

Colors black and tan. Our Monte Carlo Coats at $15.00, $18.00, $20.00 and $22.50 are very good values and the style is the latest.

Monte Carlo Coats in the extreme styles at $25.00 to $35.00.

Walking Suits and Skirts.

The utility of walking suits is beyond question. This season's styles eclipse all previous efforts in suit making.

Our line of Walking Suits is very complete. Black and Blue, Brown and Oxford Suits at $10.98 are a big bargain. At $12.50 and $15.00 can give you extra good styles and qualities.

Stockings.

A Special.

Ladies' fleece lined Hose, fast black, double soles, 8½ to 10, at 15c.

A fine assortment of ladies' fleece lined Hose, heavy weight, ribbed top, medium weight, hemmed top, all white feet and split soles, also out sizes, at 25c per pair.

An excellent quality fleeced Hose, at 35c per pair.

Ladies' wool Hose, good wearing quality, in plain and ribbed top, at 15c.

An excellent line to select from in ladies' wool Hose, in green and black ribbed and plain, medium and heavy weight, at 25c.

Ladies' fine imported wool and cashmere Hose, all weights, at 35, 50c, 75c and $1.00 per pair.

A most complete stock of fancy Hose for women and men, all the new fall styles in silk embroidered, and silk stripes, also lace lisle silk embroidery, at 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.

The ever popular black and white in stripes and figured designs, at 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00.

Ladies' silk Hose, plain and the new lace effects, from $1.00 to $5.00.

Autumn Shieldings and Winter Underwear.

Women's Underwear.

Ladies' fine ribbed vests, lace trimmed neck with a good nap, at 25c.

Ladies' fine ribbed extra weight, shaped well, napped, at 50c.

Ladies' fine ribbed, shaped natural, a good nap, at 50c.

Ladies' fine medium weight, silk or cotton, at 75c.

Ladies' fine ribbed natural, silk and wool, heavy weight, at $1.25.

Ladies' extra fine white silk and wool, at $1.50.

Ladies' Union Suits 50c, 75c, $1.00, $2.00.

Children's Underwear.

Children's ribbed wool, all sizes, 50c.

Children's fleeced ribbed cotton, all sizes, 25c.

Children's fleeced, plain, all sizes, 15c to 38c.

Children's Union Suits, natural wool, ranging in prices from 85c to $1.25.

Boys' wool Union Suits, natural, all sizes, at $1.00.

Children's Union Suits in cotton, 25c.

Men's Underwear.

Men's heavy ribbed cotton with silk tape, at 50c.

Men's heavy fleeced lined, 50c.

Men's heavy fleeced lined, 75c.

Men's wool Underwear $1.00.

Men's heavy wool Underwear $1.50.

Men's ribbed Union Suits $1.75.

Children's Hose.

Fine ribbed, in heavy weight Hose for fall and winter wear, all sizes, 5 to 10, 10c.

Extra heavy wide ribbed Hose, fast black, seamless, all sizes from 6 to 10, for 12½c.

Our leader—Fine ribbed hose for school wear, good weight, a splendid quality, at 18c.

A special in fleece lined Hose for children, a regular 25c quality, all sizes, for 19c.

A fine ribbed medium weight, also wide rib heavy weight, double knee, heel and toe, all sizes, at 25c.

Children's wool hose, heavy and light, double knee and soles, all sizes, 25c.

Hosiery for Men.

Heavy weight cotton in all black, black with white feet and split soles, at 25c.

Men's fleece lined Hose in all black, black with white feet, at 25c.

A fine assortment of men's wool hose, including greys and black, at 25c 35c and 50c per pair.

DRY BLUEM GOODS

Dress Goods. Suit House.

55-57 Public Square.

DRY BLUEM GOODS

PROGRESS

Blocked in Building Line to Findlay.

The Western Ohio railway company has instituted condemnation proceedings agains J. M. McClelland and wife in order to secure right-of-way over certain lands of the latter in Eagle township, this county. The action was instituted in the probate court. Judge Snyder has issued an order to Clerk Ewing and Sheriff Bushong, and upon this they will draw a list of jurors from the regular jury box, who will view the property over which a right-of-way is sought and fix a value thereon.

The Western Ohio Co. will shortly commence the construction of an electric line between this city and Lima through Rawson and Bluffton.—Findlay Courier.

Grain and Pork.

Chicago, Oct. 23—Closing December wheat [illegible] corn 51⅝; oats [illegible]

Boardman & Gray Pianos.

Do you know that right here in Lima is a Boardman & Gray Piano that has been in constant use for 43 years? and a number that have been used for many years. People who own these Pianos say were they to purchase another piano it would surely be the Boardman & Gray.

Come in; let us show you our many different designs. Talk piano to us. Let us help select a Piano for you.

The Whitney & Currier Co.

Lima's Representative Piano House.

211-213 West High St.

THE LATEST

Leg to Spring from the Ever Growing Octopus.

[illegible] Oct. 23.—[illegible] further notice for today. It is stipulated that the final details for the first bottle makers' combine will be perfected. The preliminaries have been arranged, more than ninety per cent. of the bottle makers of the country agreeing to enter the combination, which is to be capitalized, it is said, at $30,000,000.

O—y—s—t—e—r—s at Townsend's.

F—i—s—h at Townsend's.